

WHEN ONE IS A FOOL AND HE KNOWS IT, HE IS WISE



Weather Forecast for
Fort Wayne and
Vicinity,
CLOUDY AND MUCH COLDER
TONIGHT, WITH COLD WAVE.
TUESDAY, FAIR.

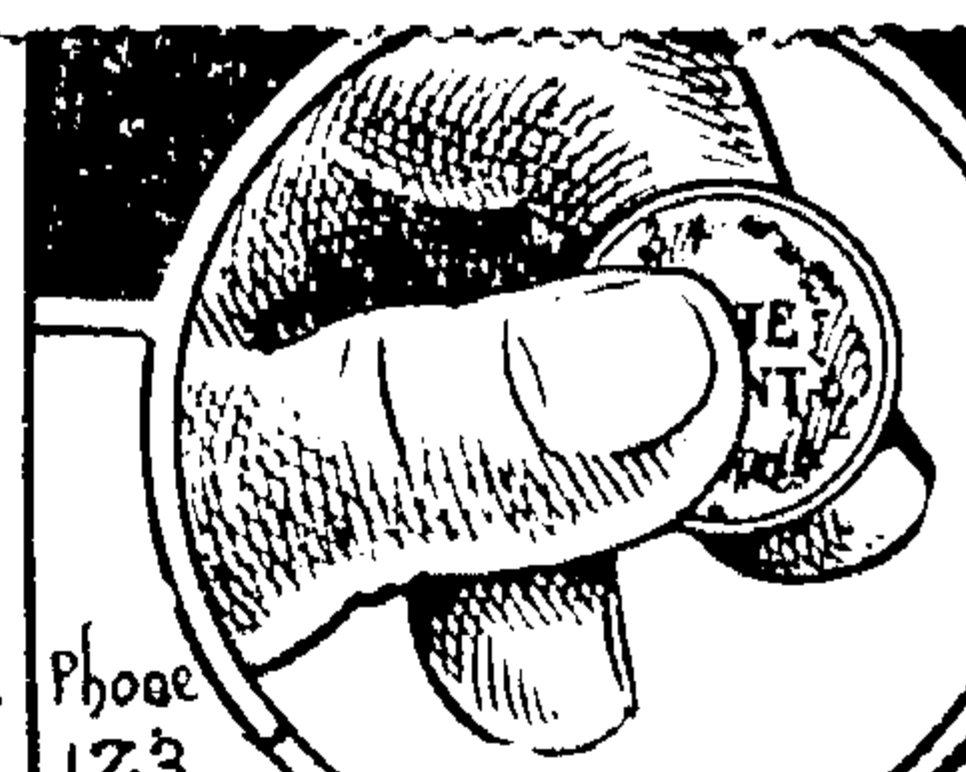
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PARTY BILLS GO TO CAUCUS

Interest Centering About
Senate Conference of
Democrats.

**LEADERS OPPOSE
ALL HASTY ACTION**
Auburn Man Has New
Registration Bill Ready
to Submit to Caucus.

Indianapolis, Jan. 20. Legislative interest centers here today in the caucus of the Democratic members of the Indiana senate. It was originally scheduled for 5 o'clock this afternoon, but soon after the senate convened today, Senator Hauck, caucus chairman, made the announcement that it had been postponed until tomorrow.

Senator Van Auker, of Auburn, said he would have the registration bill approved by former Governor Marshall, ready to present to the caucus. The corrupt practice act introduced in the house last week is another one of the platform measures which is expected to be discussed at the caucus.

Some of the leaders of the senate believe that no hasty action should be taken by the caucus or any subsequent conference of the dominant party senators. They believe careful consideration should be given to these and other bills which will be considered. It is expected that the caucus will name a committee to take up these bills, consider them carefully and to report at a meeting to be held later.

Definite Action Unlikely.

Owing to the late hour at which the caucus will convene, the constitutional convention bills, public utilities committee, workmen's compensation law and other measures will be considered, if at all, only in a broad general sense. Detailed discussions are expected to follow at later meetings. Committees may be named to take up consideration of these matters and report at subsequent conferences. The rules committee is expected to have ready to submit the regulations that will govern future meetings of the Democratic senators. Floor Leader Curtis said he could not tell what rules would be presented this afternoon.

It is expected the caucus will confirm the steering committee appointed at the meeting last week.

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WYOMING STATESMEN MIX IN A HOUSE RIOT.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Jan. 20.—A riot broke out in the house of representatives today when Speaker Pratt and Speaker Pro Tem Wood both claimed the right to preside. A violent fight, interrupted by members, took place between the two officers.

COMPLETE PLANS FOR CONVENTION

State Retail Merchants to
Invade City in Great
Numbers.

FOR ANNUAL MEET

Members of the entertainment and arrangement committee of the Fort Wayne Retail Merchants' association met at noon today at the Commercial club and made final preparations for entertaining the thirtieth annual convention of the Indiana Retail Merchants' association, which begins tomorrow morning.

All the details for the big meeting have now been perfected and when the 300 delegates arrive in the city tonight and tomorrow, they will find one of the most elaborate programs awaiting them that was ever mapped out for the retailers' state meetings.

It was expected that a number of the state officers would reach Fort Wayne this morning, but they were delayed, and will not be here until tonight or tomorrow morning. The convention will continue until Thursday evening.

Members of the local convention committees, who attended the meeting at noon, are: Entertainment, Frank J. Rahe, chairman; George A. Dehm, H. A. Diebold, Walter Seavey and George H. Haffner. Arrangements—Conny Bayer, G. J. Parrott, Nate Beadell, A. C. Brae, A. L. Crims and E. J. Golden. C. M. Mills, president of the Fort Wayne association, presided.

The Opening Session.

Tomorrow morning will be occupied chiefly by the reception of delegates, registration and other detail work. The convention proper will be called to order by C. M. Mills at 2:30 o'clock at the Commercial club auditorium. Rev.

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UNLIGHTED LAMP AND GREEN CREW

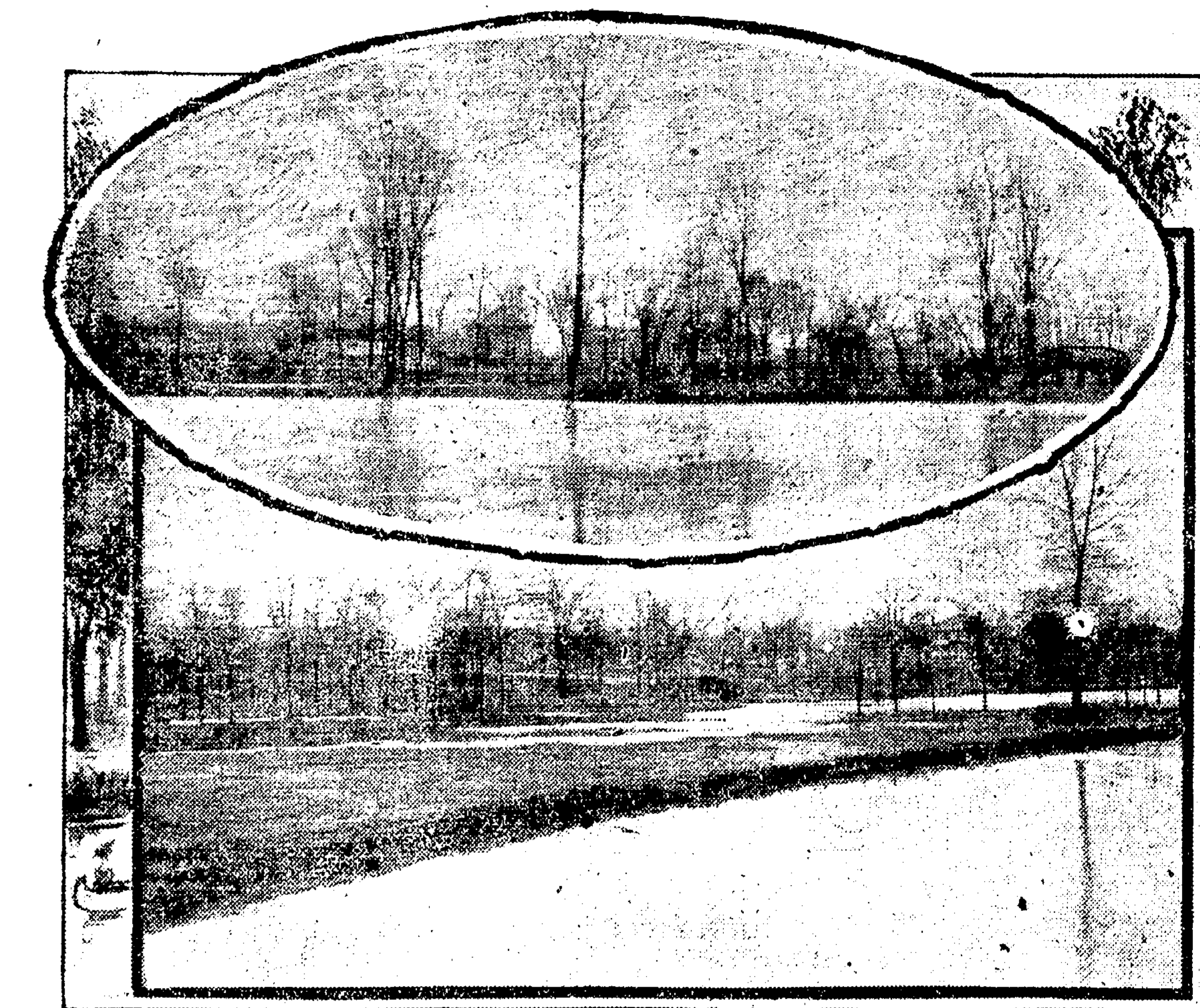
Blamed for Wreck Which
Cost Sixteen Lives at
Indianapolis.

NO BLOCK SIGNALS

Washington, Jan. 20.—An unlighted switch lamp and the inexperience and lack of alertness of a freight train crew are assigned by the interstate commerce commission as the cause of the accident on the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton railroad at Indianapolis, Ind., on Nov. 13, resulting in the death of sixteen persons and the injury of eleven.

Attention is called in the report to the lack of automatic block signals. Careless signalling indicated in a report of the commission today as the primary cause of an accident on the New Orleans division of the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley railroad, near Montz, La., on Nov. 12, in which fifteen passengers were killed and 240 passengers and three employees were injured. No block system was on the railroad.

This Gives an Idea of How the New Addition to Lakeside Park Will Appear When It Is Completed.



High waters in the rivers enabled the park department of the city to fill the new lakes and lagoons in the north, half, or what is known as the new part, of Lakeside park and although the trees are bare and the grass is hibernating, some idea of what a beautiful spot will be developed in a few years can be obtained.

Rustic bridges, gravel walks and banks that are partly sodded are not plainly shown in the photograph, but the property owners in the park district assessed for this improvement can see that as soon as nature has worked for a couple of years they will have received the full benefit of the assessment levied to make it.

There are some few places which will not hold water. The contractor and the park board expected this and the high water has given them the opportunity to make the tests and repairs will follow.

We're Still After It



On the occasion of this week's meeting to discuss fruit culture in Allen county and the prospects of securing the state apple show for Fort Wayne, a speaker from Purdue university will help the good work along.

BOY SCOUTS GUARD LEVEE

Take Turns With Fathers
as Flood Patrol at
Shawneetown.

**ILLINOIS CITY
IN MUCH DANGER**

Continued Rain Sends the
Ohio Up to New Mark
at Evansville.

Evansville, Ind., Jan. 20.—This city and the Ohio lower valley district, which are experiencing the worst flood of the river since 1881, settled today into an endurance test with the water. The city authorities this morning decided to undertake all work of relief, discarding liberal offers of private charity. Practically all of the live stock and grain that can be moved is now safe and relief expeditions today continued rescue work in the deeply inundated districts above this city.

The river stands today at 46.7 feet, with a rise of two-tenths of a foot recorded since Saturday night. Warm, soft weather prevailed this forenoon. More territory has been claimed by the water in the Oakdale residence section, and water in uptown streets fed by back flow from sewers is at many points over the curbs.

The greatest danger from the flood exists at Shawneetown, Ill., seventy-five miles below this city in Gallatin county, Ill. Shawneetown is protected by a great levee. The town is fifteen feet below the water's level now, and with a stage of 51 feet this morning a further rise of two feet is possible before the water reaches the top of the levee.

Alarm was felt Saturday night and Sunday because of a leak in the levee through a sewer connection, but it has been stopped. Men and boys are patrolling the levee today. Boy Scouts of the town, taking turns with their fathers. Provision for a sudden exodus from houses in event of a break in the levee have been made and large numbers of tents from the state armory at Springfield have been received for temporary residence in the higher lands.

The flood today carried away a large barn on Alexander Hutchinson's farm in Union township. Sixteen mules in the barn were rescued. Three thousand bushels of corn are lost. Heavy rain is falling here this afternoon.

LOCAL DENTISTS TO HOLD BANQUET

Isaac Knapp Dental Co-
terie Will Celebrate
Anniversary.

AT COMMERCIAL CLUB

The Isaac Knapp Dental coterie, an organization of local dentists, will celebrate the twenty-second anniversary of its founding with a banquet on Tuesday night at the Commercial club. Dinner will be served at 6:30 o'clock, after which the principal talk of the evening will be given by Dr. C. R. Dancer, on "The Medical Examination of the Public School Children." There also will be a number of impromptu talks and discussions. Dr. J. W. Autenrieth, Dr. Edward L. Sieber and Dr. T. C. Wyneken have had charge of the banquet on Tuesday night.

On Jan. 20, 1891, the coterie was organized in the office of Dr. W. W. Shyroek 120 West Berry street. The name, Isaac Knapp Dental coterie, was selected in honor of the memory of Dr. Isaac Knapp, one of the prominent and famous members of the profession in Indiana. Dr. Knapp had died at his home on Fairfield avenue ten years before the coterie had been formed.

The members of the organization are banded together for social purposes and for the advancement of their profession. They meet once every month to discuss questions concerning the betterment of methods used, and papers are read on advanced features of dentistry. Dr. A. H. Heim is president of the coterie for 1913, Dr. J. W. Simpson is secretary and Dr. John S. McMurphy is treasurer.

ESTIMATE GIVES CITY POPULATION OF 70,204.

According to the United States census bureau the population of Fort Wayne at the beginning of the year 1913, is 70,204. Dr. Eric Crull, of the local health department, has received the official estimate. This is used by the health department for computing the mortality rate of the city as nearly correct as possible.

The census bureau arrives at the estimate by considering the rate of increase of the city in population in 1910, when the last official census was taken. The mortality rate could not be fixed accurately by using the population of 1910 as a basis for computation, and the bureau makes an estimate every year of such rates, which are based on the number of inhabitants of a given city.

AN INCH OF RAIN DURING MORNING

Heavy Downpour Will Send
Rivers to New High
Water Mark.

COLD WAVE COMING

Fort Wayne was today visited by one of the heaviest rainfalls of the last twelve months. From 7 o'clock until noon a precipitation of more than one inch was recorded at the local weather observatory, and according to W. S. Palmer, local forecaster, the rain will send the rivers to a new high water mark for the season.

Records kept in the past show that one inch of rainfall actually results in sending the local rivers about three feet higher, and if the rain continues tonight, it is predicted that the gauge in the Maumee will record a depth of more than twenty feet by Tuesday morning. At 7 o'clock this morning the river at the Columbus street bridge was 16.1 feet. The rain started just at that time, and by noon a rapid rise was noted.

With no rain Sunday, the rivers receded considerably, and it was possible late last night to reach the first of the houses in the Balleis avenue addition without the use of boats or rafts. At noon today, however, the water again surrounded the fourteen dwellings in the low section at the junction of the St. Joe and St. Mary's rivers.

The current of the St. Mary's river is still coursing through the lower sections of Swinney park, and the Guldin playground at Van Buren street is buried under several feet of muddy water.

Condition Is Serious.

Conditions southwest of Fort Wayne along the Little River ditch and its tributaries, emptying into the Wabash river at Huntington are becoming serious. The Little River has burst from its banks, and hundreds of acres of farm land is submerged. Passengers coming to Fort Wayne from Huntington on both the traction line and the Wabash report very little dry land between the two cities.

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JAIL TERMS FOR TRUST PROMOTERS

Wilson Urges a Sweeping
Change in New Jersey
Corporations Laws.

PROGRAM IS DRASTIC

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 20.—A sweeping program of proposed changes in the corporation laws of New Jersey was announced by Gov. Wilson today. Not only would it be a misdemeanor, under the proposed laws, to acquire a monopoly or interfere with free dom of competition, but jail sentences are contemplated for those who promote, or organize trusts.

To effect these changes, seven voluminous bills have been drafted by Gov. Wilson, Chancellor Walker and Judge Van Syckel. They will be introduced in the state legislature tonight.

The first of these bills provides for a punishment not exceeding three years' imprisonment and \$1,000 fine for any corporation, firm or individuals who may agree to any of the following:

To limit production or increase prices; to prevent competition in manufacturing, transporting or selling any commodity; to fix any standard or figure whereby prices to the public shall in any manner be controlled; to make any agreement which shall directly or indirectly preclude a free and unrestricted competition among themselves or any purchasers or consumers; to make any secret, oral agreement whereby the same thing is accomplished.

The other bills rule that corporations shall not issue stock upon fictitious values of property but must make "a fair, bona fide valuation," provide punishment by fine and imprisonment for those who organize a corporation in restraint of trade; prohibit holding companies, and prevent merged companies from acquiring stock of other corporations.

It is also provided that the consent of the public utility commission must be procured when two or three corporations want to merge, and there is a prohibition against improper discrimination in the corporations in prices of commodities in different communities.

POLICEMAN DIDN'T KNOW IT.

So He Let a Couple of Burglars Beat it
and They Escaped.

If Patrolman Charley Westerman had known Saturday night that a store at Knos had been robbed and that the sheriff and one of his deputies was here looking for them, he could easily have turned over the suspects, as he talked to them quite a while.

They attempted to sell two suit cases and the contents to the porter at the interurban station and Westerman began to question them. They became suspicious and while the officer's back was turned they skipped and got away.

Westerman said he had not been instructed to look for these men. The suit case contained part of the things stolen. A third man was probably in the job, as three suit cases were taken.

TURKEY MUST COME TO TIME

Ultimatum Gives Ottoman
Government Fourteen
Days to Decide.

**MUST YIELD OR WAR
WILL BE RESUMED**

Bulgarian Envoys Fully
Empowered to Declare
Hostilities On.

London, Jan. 20. Full power to declare the resumption of hostilities against Turkey was telegraphed today to Dr. S. Danoff, leader of the Bulgarian delegation and his colleagues by the Bulgarian premier, J. S. Guecheff, who told them to exercise it whenever in their opinion further peace negotiations became useless.

Bulgaria, Serbia and Montenegro today presented an ultimatum to Turkey, giving the Ottoman government fourteen days in which to make favorable reply to their demands, according to dispatches from Constantinople.

The representatives of the Balkan allies will therefore directly notify General Savoff, the Bulgarian commander-in-chief that the armistice has come to an end as soon as it becomes apparent that there is no hope of the peace plenipotentiaries reaching a mutually satisfactory arrangement. "Hostilities will then commence four days afterward."

The Bulgarians have now discovered that they have been completely misled in regard to the condition prevailing in the beleaguered Turkish fortress of Adrianople and have consequently decided that a prompt change in their policy is necessary. Two weeks ago they were informed that the fall of the fortress could be expected hourly but a recent council of war held at Mustapha under the presidency of King Ferdinand came to the conclusion that Sukri Pasha, the Turkish commander in Adrianople, had been able to economize the supplies in the fortress to such an extent that the garrison would be able to resist perhaps for several months more.

Sukri Pasha, it appears, eluded the Bulgarians by means of false reports spread by supposed deserters who es-

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DARROW IS AGAIN PLACED ON TRIAL

Chicago Lawyer in Court
Second Time on Jury-
Bribing Charge.

WAS ONCE ACQUITTED

Los Angeles, Jan. 20.—Clarence S. Darrow was placed on trial today for the second time on a charge of having attempted to corrupt a juror in the McNamara case.

After a trial lasting nearly all summer, Darrow was acquitted of the charge of having bribed George Lockwood, a salesman called in the trial of James B. McNamara, now serving a life sentence at San Quentin prison for blowing up the Los Angeles Times building.

Today the lawyer was put on trial on the charge of having bribed Robert F. Bain, the first juror chosen in the same case.

His Worry



"I have been wondering."

OVER at the Jefferson school the savings bank is proving a very satisfactory experiment, not only because of the fact that several hundreds of dollars have already been placed on deposit by the pupils, but because of the experience in practical saving that the pupils are receiving. One boy, however, has only one cent on deposit. The other day this boy approached his teacher as if to ask a question of grave importance. The teacher asked him what he wanted.

"I have been wondering," he said, "who would get my money if I should die."

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Women's \$3.00 High Cut Tan Russia and Gun Metal Calf; Button **\$1.98**

Women's \$4.00 Tan Russia, Gun Metal Calf and Patent Colt; Button **\$2.95**

Women's \$3.50 Black, Suede and Black Velvet, Button **\$2.45**

BIG LOT—Growing Girls' \$3.00 Patent Colt and dull leather Jockey, Button; sizes 2 1/2 to 6 **\$1.45**

Men's \$4.50 Tan Russia and Gun Metal; Button and Bluechers **\$2.95**

Boys' \$3.00 High Top Boots; Tan and Black **\$1.98**

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MRS. MARY WELCH AGED 76, IS DEAD

Had Resided in Fort Wayne for More than Half Century.

THE OTHER DEATHS

Mrs. Mary Welch, aged 76 years, the widow of Patrick Welch, died at 3 o'clock this morning at the family residence, 615 Lawton place, after an illness of several months' duration, due to complications. Mrs. Welch had been a resident of Fort Wayne for fifty-six years.

Mrs. Welch was one of the best known members of the congregation of the Catholic of the Immaculate Conception. She was born in Pennsylvania, March 18, 1837, and came to Fort Wayne in 1856. Shortly after her arrival here she was married to Patrick Welch, the ceremony having been solemnized at the Catholic by Rev. Father Benoit. She was one of the active workers in the affairs of the Catholic congregation and was a member of the Rosary society.

The old Welch family home was located at the corner of Superior and Barr streets and for many years was a familiar landmark. Until seven years ago the family resided in the old home-stand. Patrick Welch died in 1882. Surviving besides one brother, James Mulvaney, who resides at Winamac, Ind., she leaves two sons and two daughters, James, John and Frank Welch, of this city, and Mrs. J. J. McCarthy, of Toledo, O.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at an hour to be announced later.

HAMBROCK

Frederick H. Hambrook, aged 47 years, 10 months and 5 days, died at 8:10 o'clock this morning at Hope hospital, after a prolonged illness from lung trouble. He submitted to a surgical operation a few days ago.

Mr. Hambrook was born in Fort Wayne March 15, 1865, and had resided here all his life. He was a machine hand and had worked in several of the local shops. His family resided at 2618 Jane street. Surviving besides the widow he leaves two children, Oscar and Lillie Hambrook. He also leaves his aged mother, Mrs. Katherine Hambrook, two brothers and two sisters, William and Henry Hambrook, Mrs. H. Greenbeck and Mrs. S. Blum, all of this city. The deceased was a member of Zion's Lutheran church, and of the Brotherhood of the Holy Trinity.

Funeral services Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the residence, and at 2 o'clock from Zion's Lutheran church.

LAUTERBERG

Edward Lauterberg, aged twenty-six years, died Sunday morning at the home of his mother, Mrs. Louise Lauterberg, 1226 St. Mary's avenue, after an illness of several months, due to complications. He was employed as a machinist at the Safety Equipment company's Chicago factory, but came home several weeks ago on account of illness.

Surviving he leaves his widow, mother and five brothers—Otto, Albert, Fred, Theodore and Carl, all of this city. He was a member of the Salem Reformed church and of the local lodge of Elks.

Funeral services Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, and at 2 o'clock from the Salem Reformed church, Rev. Mr. Volmer officiating.

SCHNEIDER

Miss Mary Schneider, aged forty-six years, residing at 1620 Chestnut street, died at 5:15 o'clock Sunday morning at Hope hospital. Death followed a critical surgical operation submitted to Saturday night.

Miss Schneider was born in Lake township. She is survived by two sisters and four brothers—Mrs. Charles Blessing, Mrs. William Yergens, John, Fred and Jesse Schneider, of this city, and William Schneider, who resides in the west.

Funeral services Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, Rev. A. K. Zartman officiating. Interment at Lindenwood.

LALLOW

Hazel Lallow, aged twenty years, died at 1:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, after a prolonged illness. She is survived by the mother, who lives at 1231 St. Clair street.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock from the residence and at 10 o'clock from the El River chapel. Interment at El River cemetery.

THOMPSON

Mrs. Maria Anna Thompson, aged twenty-eight years, died at 6 o'clock Sunday morning at the Lutheran hospital from obstruction of the bowels. The husband and two children survive. The remains were shipped to Van Wert, Ohio, for funeral services and interment.

WEGMANN

William Wegmann, aged forty-five years, died Saturday night after an attack of pneumonia. He was ill one week.

Mr. Wegmann was born in Germany,

but had been a resident of Allen county for many years. He is survived by the widow and six children. One brother and three sisters reside in Germany. One sister, Mrs. William Schow, resides in Washington township.

Funeral services Tuesday afternoon at 12:15 o'clock from the residence, seven miles west of the city, and at 2 o'clock from St. John's Reformed church, Rev. J. H. Bosch officiating. Interment at Lindenwood.

ROWE

Mrs. Mary Rowe, the widow of Elmer Rowe, the well-known Pennsylvania brakeman, who was killed three years ago in an accident, died at 5:10 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. Lewis, in Detroit, with whom she had made her home since her husband's death.

The remains will arrive in Fort Wayne over the Wabash at 9:47 o'clock Tuesday morning and will be removed to the home of a sister, Mrs. John Orr, 709 Greenlawn avenue, where funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The deceased was well known in Fort Wayne and until her husband's death was an active member of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen. Surviving besides the mother, she leaves one son, aged 10 years, and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Emma Fredericks, Mrs. Isabella Smith and Mrs. Gertrude Hillbrommer, of Detroit; Mrs. Francis Hallsey, of Huntington, Ind.; Mrs. John Orr, of Fort Wayne, and Lester Lewis, of Fort Wayne, a well-known Pennsylvania conductor.

FUNERAL NOTICES

Benton.—Funeral services for David L. Benton Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, 1117 West Main street, and at 2 o'clock from the Scottish Rite cathedral.

DIDN'T REACH IT TODAY

Board of Works Did Not Make Inspection of Empress Theater.

Members of the board of works did not make an inspection today of the Empress theater building as scheduled, because some other work demanded the attention of the members.

Contractor Henry J. Kaiser, who has always maintained an open shop, and paid the regular scale of wages, has signed the union scale and this is expected to remove some of the objections made by the Fort Wayne Federation of Labor.

The board had at its meeting this afternoon the assessment roll for the vacation of the alley between Murray and Wallace from Barr street east.

BIENNIAL COUNCIL OPENS

Prominent Jews Gather at Cincinnati for Convention.

Cincinnati, Jan. 20.—Hundreds of prominent Jews, representing more than 200 of the principal Jewish organizations of the United States, were present at the opening of the biennial council of the American Hebrew congregations here today. The council will continue until Thursday and many subjects of interest will be discussed. On Thursday a new group of buildings of the Hebrew Union college of this city will be dedicated.

BALL IS CALLED OFF

Formal Action Is Taken by Inaugural Committee.

Washington, Jan. 20.—There will be no inaugural ball in connection with the ceremonies of inaugurating President-elect Wilson. The committee in charge so officially decided today and was informed by telephone from Trenton that should a public reception be planned in its stead, Mrs. Wilson and the daughters of the president-elect should not be expected to attend. It was decided to leave the reception feature to congress.

GIRLS REBEL AT TERMS

Ten Thousand Strikers Refuse to Return to Work.

New York, Jan. 20.—Ten thousand girls of the 37,000 affected by the settlement Saturday between shirt waist and dress-makers and their employees rebelled today at the terms of the proposed settlement and remained out on strike. The other 27,000 went to work at increased wages. Those still on strike say they are dissatisfied with the 5 to 10 per cent. raise in pay offered them.

There are still approximately 125,000 workers on strike in all branches of the garment trade. Several clashes occurred during the day between the strikers' pickets and the police.

Nathan Smyser, of Chicago, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Smyser. Norbert Koch, the 3 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Koch, of 2207 Forster street, who has been seriously ill for two weeks, is somewhat improved. His condition, however, is still critical.

ATTENTION K. OF P.

Phoenix lodge No. 101 and all other sojourning brother knights are requested to meet at K. of P. home Tuesday at 1:30, to attend funeral of the late Brother D. L. Benton.

C. J. Rothchild, C. C. Wm. H. Ward, Jr., K. R. S. ners.

BOARD IS READY FOR GOOD TESTS

Commissioners Want to Open Voting Machines and Try Them.

MATTERS IN COURTS

Members of the board of county commissioners in their court today decided that they will invite any person interested in testing the voting machines in use in the elections in Allen county to make such tests as will determine the accuracy of the mechanism.

"These machines have not been unlocked since the last election and if there are any voters who want to compare their records with ours we will willingly accommodate them," said President James D. Butt.

"We could cast, say 100 votes, on each and this would give us a good line on how they are working. Give the public to understand we are not defending the machines. If they are wrong we want to know just as badly as anybody else and may be a little worse because it is up to us to have them put in condition."

"Of course, we could take a committee down to the storage house and try them or we could do it ourselves, but we would like to have the figures of the people who discovered the inaccuracies so that we could be of great help to us. We will really be much obliged to those people if they will aid us in the test."

Wanted to Join Show

Ernst Baumeister says in a divorce complaint against his wife, Frieda, that she ended six months of cruelty by abandoning him and saying she intended to join a show and would not live longer with him. Their married life covered the period between August 14 of last year and Jan. 13 of this.

She is charged with calling him names so foul that he can't put them in the records, with having beaten him and with failure to cook his meals and mend his clothes.

Cases Are Dismissed

The following cases were dismissed in the superior court today: William Page against John Ahrens, Albert Betts against Mary Betts, German American bank against John N. Pfeiffer and Clinton Walcott against Olm Kemp.

Files Cross Complaint

Carrie Killen has filed a cross complaint in the divorce suit instituted last week by her husband, George Killen in which she alleges that he has been cruel in his conduct toward her, that she spent only the money that was due her for her interest in their two picture shows and she asks the custody of the children and reasonable alimony with her decree.

Says He Drank Too Much

Habitual drunkenness is charged against George Coddington in a suit for divorce filed by Alice Coddington.

Gone Eight Years

Frank Lattimer testified in his suit against Mary Lattimer that she had been gone for eight years and Judge Eggenman gave him a divorce.

TWO BANKERS SENTENCED

Prison Term for Men Convicted of Grand Larceny.

New York, Jan. 20.—David A. Sullivan, former president of the Mechanics and Traders' bank of Brooklyn, both convicted of grand larceny, received prison sentences today. Sullivan was sentenced to Sing Sing for two to four years and Shears to the penitentiary for three months.

ONYETT CASE POSTPONED

Absence of Attorney Delays Trial of Terre Haute Man.

Indianapolis, Jan. 20.—On account of the absence of Charles W. Miller, United States district attorney, from the city the case of Sidney Onyett, of Terre Haute, charged with assault on Orph H. Hall, United States commissioner for the Terre Haute district, was postponed in the federal court today. No date was set for the trial and it was said that in all probability no action would be taken until after the federal grand jury, which meets Feb. 4, has an opportunity to make an investigation.

CHICAGO HAS SNOWSTORM

Traffic Is Impeded by Heavy Fall in Windy City Today.

Chicago, Jan. 20.—A heavy snowstorm greatly impeded traffic in this city today. With trolley wires and third rails coated with snow and sleet, street cars barely more than crawled over their routes and thousands of persons were late in reporting at their various tasks. Telegraph wires were affected, although not demoralized.

ADDITIONAL SOCIETY

Miss Cleo Loeffel, of Warsaw, pianist, assisted by Master Herbert Stevens, soprano, will give a recital in Packard hall on February the first. Miss Loeffel gave a recital last Saturday in Warsaw.

Mrs. J. H. Thomas, of Huntington, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Frank Opatz, 1153 Harmer street for two weeks, returned to her home this morning.

Matinee dance every Tuesday afternoon, Tan-

PROMISE A CUT IN PRESENT LAW

Commissioners Want to Agricultural Schedule Up Before Tariff Revision Committee.

APPEALS TO FARMERS

Washington, Jan. 20.—The agricultural schedule of the tariff came up today before the house ways and means committee. It is the portion of the Payne-Aldrich law which appeals most to farmers. Many witnesses were on the program. Some of the provisions of the schedule now in effect represent reductions from the Dingley law.

Representative Payne, who was chairman of the committee when the present tariff was started on its path through congress and who is now ranking republican on the committee, estimated the consumption value of articles on which the rates of duty were increased or decreased in the present law was: Articles on which duties were decreased, \$483,430,637; articles on which duties were increased, \$4,380,483.

Democratic members of the committee stated today there would be reductions from the present law on many articles in the schedule.

INDIANA CELEBRATES

University at Bloomington Established 93 Years Ago.

Bloomington, Ind., Jan. 20.—Indiana university is celebrating its 93rd birthday, for on Jan. 20, 1820, the general assembly established at Bloomington the seminary of the state of Indiana, which has grown into the university. The principal address of the program was delivered this morning by Irwin Hise, of the University of Wisconsin. Preceding the address there was a parade of the students, headed by the faculty and the university band, to the gymnasium, where the exercises were held.

HOLDS COMPANY LIABLE

New York Court Gives Decision in Sleeping Car Case.

New York, Jan. 20.—The appellate division of the state supreme court decided here today that sleeping car companies are responsible for valuables given by passengers to porters for safekeeping. The decision was handed down in a suit brought against the Pullman company to recover the value of a diamond necklace entrusted to the porter by a woman passenger.

NETTERTVILLE IMPROVES

Anderson Senator Will Be Confined to Hospital a Week.

Indianapolis, Jan. 20.—Reports from the Deaconess hospital today were that Senator J. J. Netterville, of Anderson, was better, though his attending physician, Dr. Theodore Potter, says it will be at least a week before the senator is able to leave the institution. Potter says his patient is suffering from nervous exhaustion brought on by his diligent work on the legislative committee.

THE BIRTH RECORD

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Freistoffer, of 1019 Crescent avenue, a son.

FORGAN DID NOT APPEAR

Chicago Banker Scheduled to Testify Does Not Arrive.

Washington, Jan. 20.—James B. Forgan, the Chicago banker, scheduled to testify before the currency reform committee of the house, did not appear and the hearing was adjourned to tomorrow.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES

Elth Allen, aged 26, of 1321 Hayden street, was reported to the health board today as being ill with scarlet fever.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST

Stock	Price	Stock	Price
Amalgam Copper	11 1/2	Interoceanic	17 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	36	do. pd.	90 1/2
Am. Cotton Oil	52	Int. Harvester	107 1/2
Am. Ref. S.	71	Louis. & Nash	136 1/2
Am. Tel. & Tel.	123 1/2	Missouri Pacific	40 1/2
Am. T. & T. Co.	36 1/2	M. & T. Co.	26 1/2
Am. Union	104 1/2	Lehigh Valley	153 1/2
At. Coast Line	129	National Lead	43 1/2
Balt. & Ohio	107 1/2	N. Y. Central	107 1/2
Brook. R. Co.	89 1/2	Norfolk & West.	111 1/2
Can. Pacific	24 1/2	North. Pacific	111 1/2
Cheap & Ohio	16 1/2	Pennsylvania	122 1/2
Chl. & St. P.	112 1/2	Reading	162 1/2
Colo. P. & Iron	31 1/2	Rock Island	21 1/2
Col. & South.	30 1/2	S. S. Steel	82 1/2
Del. & Hudson	154 1/2	South. Pacific	104 1/2
Gen. & Rio G. de	21	Union Pacific	24 1/2
Gen. Electric	141	U. S. Steel	82 1/2
Gl. N. W.	127	U. S. Steel	82 1/2
Ill. N. Ore. Co.	38	Wabash	24 1/2
Illinois Central	126 1/2	Western Union	70 1/2

Marshall Club dance, Tanner's Wednesday night. Moonlight dance, Marshall Club, Tanner's Wednesday night.

DYNAMITE LETS GO

Explosion Shakes Illinois District 25 Miles Square.

Macomb, Ill., Jan. 20.—A district twenty-five miles square was shaken as by an earthquake today when forty-six hundred pounds of dynamite exploded at a clay pit three miles from this city. Buildings were shaken, windows shattered, trees were blown over and figures leveled, but no person was injured. A hole which might contain a good sized house was blown in the ground where the dynamite was stored.

INDIANAPOLIS HAS A BLOW

High Wind at State Capital Causes Some Damage.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 20.—Many windows were broken and several sheds and outbuildings blown down by a severe wind storm here today. No one was hurt. The storm came up from the west without warning and passed almost as rapidly. The loss is estimated at \$2,000.

MATHEWSON PAYS FINE

New York Fitcher Used Too Much Speed On His Auto.

Jamaica, N. Y., Jan. 20.—"Christy" Mathewson, New York National league pitcher, was fined ten dollars today for using too much speed. It was not his high salaried arm that got him into trouble, but the automobile presented by admirer John A. Long. A policeman timed him on a Long Island boulevard Sunday evening running thirty-one miles an hour.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE

Compiled by Keller & Thompson, Abstractors, 725 Court Street, City.

Gustav Schubert, Jr., to Charlotte and Gustav Schubert, Sr., 3 ft. square adjoining on the e. lot 316 and 29 ft. lot 348, Hanna add, for \$1.

John M. Landenberg to Anthony W. Holt, 10 ft. lot 3 and 2 ft. lot 4, W. Meyer add, for \$1,000.

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NEWS OF FORT WAYNE'S NEIGHBORS

THE LID IS DOWN
AT CHURUBUSCO

Authorities Put the Ban on Slot Machines and Other Devices Used for Gambling.

Churubusco, Ind., Jan. 20.—The town authorities of Churubusco have during the past few days experienced the influence of a great moral wave, and as a result all of the slot machines, dice boxes and other games of chance have been tabooed and in the future will not be operated here.

Numerous complaints have been registered with the president of the town council and other town officials and, as a result, Marshal Isaac Davis made the rounds of the business places that have been conducting games of chance and ordered the proprietors to bury the same and not resurrect them until they receive further orders from the officials.

Those conducting games of chance had overstepped the bounds and had been permitting minors and children to play the same until the parents became indignant and took the town officials to task and as a result the lid has been screwed down good and tight and it may be many months before it is tilted.

In each instance where the marshal informed the proprietor of the orders issued the games were stopped and the devices withdrawn from public sight.

KILLED IN A WRECK.

Garrett Railroad Engineer Met Death at Tiffin, O.

Garrett, Ind., Jan. 20.—Ray Landis, one of the well known engineers of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, whose home was in this city, was killed in a wreck on the road early Sunday morning at Tiffin, O., the result of a collision between the locomotives of two trains. His cab companion, Fireman Saxer, was badly injured and is now in the Sacred Heart hospital here.

The remains of Engineer Landis were taken to Mansfield, O., his former home, for burial. His parents and two brothers reside in that city. His wife was visiting in that city at the time of his death. They had been married for eight years. He had been in the service of the B. & O. for nine years and two years ago was promoted to the position of engineer.

DITCH CASE UP AGAIN.

Huntington, Ind., Jan. 20.—Final arguments were presented in the famous Little River ditch case in local court Saturday. This ditch is to cost in the neighborhood of \$300,000. Remonstrations were filed against assessments. There is only minor opposition to the ditch construction, but a more equitable levy of assessments is prayed. Attorneys believe that many changes will be made since the showing in testimony. A final return of findings by the court is expected within a week.

INDIGESTION

Causes Dizziness, Nervousness, Biliousness, Sick Headaches and Sallow Skin

Mi-o-na Stomach Tablets Banish All Misery

You know that most of the ailments named above come from an upset stomach; of course you do.

When food reaches the stomach it should digest and furnish nutritious matter to the blood.

If it doesn't digest, but lays heavily on your stomach, it has started to ferment.

When it ferments it sets loose in the stomach poisonous gases which irritate the great pneumogastric nerve that leads directly from the stomach to the brain.

That irritation causes heartburn, dizziness, nervousness, and other ailments.

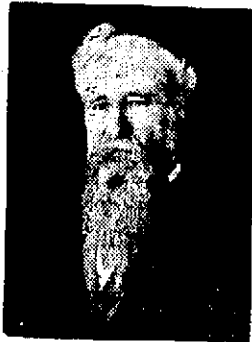
MI-O-NA is guaranteed to end all stomach misery or money back. A large box is 50 cents at drug stores everywhere.

Free trial treatment and booklet from Booth's MI-O-NA, Buffalo, N. Y.

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SPECIALIST
For Men and Women.

20 years' experience in all Chronic, Nervous and Private Diseases of the Head, Nose, Throat, Lungs, Liver, Stomach, Kidneys, Heart, Bowels, Bladder, Skin, Sexual Diseases, Blood Poison, etc.

No matter what your ailment or how long you have suffered or how many months you have doctored without benefit, do not fail to call and see me.

I treat more Nervous and Private Diseases than any Specialist in the city. Dr. Wenger is successful, reliable and permanent. Everything confidential.

Office Hours: 10 to 12, 1 to 5, Evenings, 7 to 8. Sunday, 2 to 4 only.
1004 Calhoun St.
Fort Wayne, Ind.

WOMEN'S LEAGUE
WANT SHADE TREES

Pushing the Movement at Huntington for Beautifying the City—Ban on Poplar Trees.

Huntington, Ind., Jan. 20.—Action will be taken Tuesday evening by the Women's Civic Improvement League of this city at their meeting in the Commercial club rooms in proposing an amendment to the present ordinance, compelling property holders to plant shade trees in front of their residences.

It is the purpose of the organization to secure an amendment to the ordinance which will cause the eradication of the poplar trees in the city and replace them with more beneficial trees, as the maple or other varieties. Much complaint has been received that the roots of the poplar tree grow under the sidewalks of the city and in time cause unsightly and unsafe undulation in them.

Some time ago a committee was appointed by Mayor Feichtner and the committee will go before the next council meeting and place the proposition before that body. Seeds will be distributed to the school children of the city schools as usual and much work of beautifying the city will be accomplished.

CHURUBUSCO'S THEATER.

Managers of the New Opera House Plan for the Opening.

Churubusco, Ind., Jan. 20. Plans for the opening of the new opera house at Churubusco are under way and the attraction will be announced within the next week. The interior work on the play house has practically been completed and Churubusco now boasts of one of the most modern opera houses in this section of the state. The managers of the place are desirous of securing for the people a first-class performance and they are now negotiating with two or three popular companies, chiefly among which is "The Light Eternal" company, of Fort Wayne.

DECATUR NEWS.

Decatur, Ind., Jan. 20.—Miss Vera Hunsicker visited with her aunt, Mrs. C. C. Myers, in Fort Wayne over Sunday.

The Christian Ladies' Aid has elected the following officers for the new year: President, Mrs. A. D. Artman; vice-president, Mrs. French Quinn; secretary, Mrs. Burt Mangold; treasurer, Mrs. E. H. Shoemaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Voglewede visited over Sunday in Fort Wayne with Mr. and Mrs. John Hesler and Mrs. R. C. Crock and family.

Miss Helen Flory, of Bangor, Pa., was the guest of honor at a sewing party given by Mrs. J. J. Helm.

Deputy Postmaster C. E. Hocker underwent an operation for the removal of a small hard wen that grew just underneath one of his temples.

Ernest Collins, of Fort Wayne, was the guest of his brother, Ray Collins.

Miss Elba Deitch, of Celina, O., is visiting with Miss Lydia Miller.

Mr. Carl Reatty left yesterday for Des Moines, Ia., where she will join her husband, who is working for an express company. She was joined in Chicago by her husband.

Robert and Herman Haugk, sons of Julius Haugk, have purchased the Heckman mill in the north part of the city.

They will open it in a few days, after an elevator, coal yards and railroad switches have been added.

Miss Lydia Bollman is in receipt of word of the death of her sister, Mrs. Mary E. Nisbet, widow of William Nisbet, which occurred at Peru. Mrs. Nisbet, who is survived by three sons and two daughters, spent her girlhood days here.

County Assessor George Gentis has received word of the district meeting of assessors to be held in Fort Wayne February 14.

Miss Roxie Syphers, of Fort Wayne, is visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fisher, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Phillips received word of the birth of a ten-pound boy to their son, Charles Phillips and wife, of Kendallville.

JUDGE WOULD SPANK ELOPERS.

Tells Colleagues Marriage Restriction Might Decrease Divorces.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 20.—When judges visit Clayton, St. Charles or Alton to get marriage licenses the recorder's clerk would give them spankings instead of licenses, said Judge Hugo Grimes, the other day at the close of a state judicial conference.

"There are too many children getting married," he added. "The law should be more rigidly enforced and it should be made more difficult for children to rush into matrimony."

The conference decided to recommend to the legislature a law by which the guilty party in a divorce case shall not be permitted to marry within a year after a decree is granted.

WILY CHICKEN THIEF CAUGHT.

Remains of Supposed Burglar Will Adorn Lodgeroom.

York, Pa., Jan. 20. One of the wisest old chicken thieves in York county, will hereafter serve as the emblem of the York lodge of Owls. The thief thus to be honored is an enormous horned owl captured alive by George Newcomer, of Hellen township, who thereby solved the mystery of the disappearance of many a plump fowl. Newcomer brought

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh
That Contain Mercury

Mercury will surely destroy the glands of smell and completely damage the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co., Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c. per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

THE PEOPLE'S STORE

Continuing Our Great

Semi - Annual CLEARANCE SALE
WITH UNMATCHABLE VALUES IN QUALITY MERCHANDISE

All Tailor-Made Suits Go at 50 Per Cent Off. You Save as Much as You Pay.



This week we place on sale all Tailored Suits at a saving of 50 Per Cent. This is not an odds-and-ends sale, of one or two of a kind, but our entire stock of fine Tailored Suits, all the new and later models, in Black and all the leading shades of the season, in Junior sizes, Misses' sizes, Women's sizes, and Extra sizes. And this is the way they are to be sold:

\$15.00 Suits, now go at	\$7.50
\$19.50 Suits, now go at	\$9.75
\$22.50 Suits, now go at	\$11.25
\$25.00 Suits, now go at	\$12.50
\$27.50 Suits, now go at	\$13.75
\$30.00 Suits, now go at	\$15.00
\$35.00 Suits, now go at	\$17.50

These Children's Furs at One-Third Off Their Regular Prices Are Big Bargains

\$1.00 Children's Fur Sets, now	\$.67
\$1.50 Children's Fur Sets, now	\$1.00
\$2.69 Children's Fur Sets, now	\$1.80
\$3.50 Children's Fur Sets, now	\$2.34
\$3.98 Children's Fur Sets, now	\$2.66
\$5.00 Children's Fur Sets, now	\$3.34
\$6.50 Children's Fur Sets, now	\$4.34
\$10.00 Children's Fur Sets, now	\$6.67

All Ladies' and Misses' White Fur Sets 1-3 Off

\$16.50 White Fur Sets, now	\$11.00
\$17.50 White Fur Sets, now	\$11.67
\$19.50 White Fur Sets, now	\$13.00
\$25.00 White Fur Sets, now	\$16.67

All Other Furs at 25 Per Cent Discount.

Final Clearance of Ladies' and Misses' Coats At Prices That Mean Only a Fraction of Their Real Worth—Divided Into 3 Lots

LOT 1	LOT 2	LOT 3
Ladies' and Misses' Coats, in Gray, Brown, Navy and Red; Coats that sold at \$8.95 and \$10.00. Choice of the lot for	Ladies' and Misses' Coats, full length and semi-fitting, plain tailored or trimmed; Coats that sold at \$15.00 to \$18.50. Your choice of the lot for	Ladies' Coats, made of Serges, Broadcloth and Novelty Mixtures, full length, with new French back; Coats that sold at \$25.00, \$27.50 and \$35.00. Choice of the lot for
\$5.00	\$9.50	\$16.75

SALE CONTINUES ALL THIS MONTH

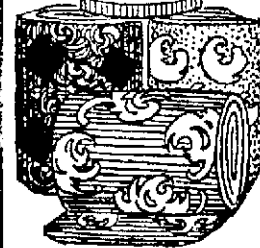
WANTED---A Bright Young Man, Also Experienced Salesmen

THE PEOPLE'S STORE

Make the Home Beautiful by Taking Advantage of These Special Values in Lace Curtains During This Big Clearance Sale

\$1.50 Nottingham Lace Curtains, large size, full length and width; special this week for	98c Pair
\$2.75 Cable Net Curtains, in Ecru or White, good width and length; special this week for	\$1.98 Pair
\$3.00 Irish Point Curtains, extra neat patterns, generous width and full length; special this week for	\$3.98 Pair
\$3.50 Serim Curtains, patterns extra fine, and a bargain not to be had at any time; special this week for	\$2.48 Pair
\$6.00 Genuine Cluny Lace Curtains, 30 inches wide and regular length, splendid patterns; special this week for	\$3.98 Pair

Repeating That Sale of Wool Ingrain Carpets



When you can buy 60c Wool Ingrain Carpets for 39c yard, it's worth taking advantage of. There are still quite a few desirable patterns to choose from, in spite of the large amount we sold Friday and Saturday. The weather probably kept you from coming down to get some of it, so we are going to continue the sale of them this week, or until all are sold, at the extreme low price of

39c Yard

(Bring the size of the room with you.)

The Men Folks Can Profit by Our Clearance Sale—Here Are Five Big Specials to Interest Them.

Men's \$1.25 Union Suits, Set-Snug brand, in Gray only, Price, 98c
Men's 75c Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, in Blue, Ecru and Gray mixed, a complete line of sizes. Sale Price, 42c each
Men's 75c Percal and Madras Shirts, in plain or plaited bosoms and a fine assortment of Black and White stripes and dots, Special Sale Price, 47c each
\$1.00 Men's Ecru Union Suits, Sale Price, 78c each
100 Dozen Men's 19c extra heavy Black Hose, just the weight for winter wear. Sale Price, 2 pair for 25c

Blanket News of Interest

Blankets are a household necessity at all times. The warm weather forces us to make still further reductions in our stock. Hence these very special prices during our Clearance Sale.



\$1.00 Cotton Fleece Blankets, Sale Price	97c
\$1.50 Cotton Fleece Blankets, Sale Price	98c
\$1.75 Cotton Fleece Blankets, Sale Price	\$1.25
\$2.00 Cotton Fleece Blankets, Sale Price	\$1.50
\$2.00 Beaten Blankets, Wool Finish, Sale Price	\$1.75
\$2.50 Plaid Blankets, Wool Finish, Sale Price	\$1.98
\$2.75 Plaid Blankets, Wool Finish, Sale Price	\$2.38
\$3.00 Beaten Blankets, Wool Finish, Sale Price	\$2.50
\$3.00 Wool Plaid Blankets, Sale Price	\$2.50
\$4.00 Wool Plaid Blankets, Sale Price	\$3.50
\$5.00 Wool Blankets, Sale Price	\$3.50
\$5.50 Wool Blankets, Sale Price	\$3.90

TWO NEW SCHOOLHOUSES.

Corunna, Ind., Jan. 20.—Two new schoolhouses, modern in every respect, will be constructed in Richland township, DeKalb county, this year at a cost of approximately \$15,000. One of the schoolhouses will be constructed in the

east part of the township, and the other in the west portion. The buildings will consist of two rooms each.

When you want a reliable medicine for a rough or cold take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all dealers.

NEWSPAPER CHANGES OWNERS.

Convoy, O., Jan. 20.—The Signal, the newspaper of this town, has changed owners, J. R. Swann, the former proprietor, having sold it to G. M. Glancy, who for the last four years has published the Progress at Ohio City, O.

Listen! NOW'S the time to buy a trunk full of Clothes.



Buy a big trunk full of clothes now, because you can buy them cheaper. You want clothes; we want money. We don't need it, but we want it. You do need new clothes. Come in.

We do not run "fake" sales, and try to "pull wool" over your eyes. We put wool—all wool—suits and over coats on your back the whole year around.

Our prices in Season are just what reliable clothing is worth. We cannot always buy "just enough."

That's why we will close out strictly good, fresh all-wool suits and overcoats and underwear at big money-saving prices to you.

Buy a trunk and dress suit case too.

MEN'S SUITS OR OVERCOATS

\$10.00 now	\$ 8.00	\$12.00 now	\$ 9.60
\$15.00 now	\$12.00	\$18.00 now	\$14.40
\$20.00 now	\$16.00	\$22.50 now	\$18.00
\$25.00 now	\$20.00	\$27.00 now	\$21.60

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MONDAY, JAN. 20, 1913.

TONIGHT.

Amusements—Vanderbilt at Temple Theater.
Unions—Barbers, Cigar-makers, Machinists, Tailors, Plumbers.
Fraternities—Fort Wayne, No. 14, E. O. O. F.; Phoenix, No. 191, K. of P.; Modern Woodmen, Knights of Columbus; Summit Encampment, L. O. O. F.; Bursage Castle, K. of G. E.

The Decision at Auburn

Unofficially the statement has been given out that the decision of the Auburn jury fixing \$62,000 as a fair valuation for the Hamilton property sought under condemnation proceedings by the city school board to permit the construction of an addition to the present high school building will occasion a change in plans. While the board has as yet taken no formal action in the matter, it is said to be the opinion of the members that the expenditure of any such sum under the circumstances would be inadvisable if due account be taken of the future needs of the city as regards high school facilities.

The sole advantage to be gained by an addition to the present building was wholly one of economy in operation. That the present building enlarged to meet immediate demand for more room could be operated more cheaply than would be possible by the creation of a second high school in some other section of the city can not be questioned. The saving as regards equipment and staff of instructors would be no inconsiderable item. But as against this item of present economy it must be recognized that at best the enlargement of the present building is but a temporary expedient. It could not be repeated indefinitely, and with a growth such as Fort Wayne is enjoying the city could be called upon in a very short time to face the same situation over again. With the center of the city's population plainly drifting to the southward, it would mean, too, that an increasing number of pupils each year would be inconvenienced in traveling long distances daily to and from the high school. A second high school building, located somewhere toward the southern part of the city is inevitable in a few years in any event. Perhaps it is just as well that it is hurried along a bit by the outcome of the condemnation proceedings.

Vice President-elect Marshall and Mrs. Marshall, who hurried away to Arizona for a few weeks of vacation seclusion in the attempt to forget politics for a time before going to Washington, were greeted at Phoenix by some hundreds of enthusiastic citizens and a brass band and escorted to the hotel by an imposing parade. Arizona folk are already insisting that Mr. Marshall address the Arizona legislature during his stay, and it looks very much as if the plans of the vice president-elect for a quiet, restful seclusion were slated to undergo somewhat of a revision.

Inasmuch as nearly all the other eminent authorities are on the other side of the question, Dr. Woods Hutchinson in his defense of pie as a healthful article of diet not only shattered time-honored tradition at one fell swoop, but rallied to his unanimous support the American small boy who knew it all the time.

With a total of 242 bills introduced up to the close of last week, an indefinite number of others still in process of incubation, it is plain that the statesmen in the Indiana legislature do not share the opinion somewhat prevalent in other quarters that we have too many laws already.

President-elect Wilson declares with positiveness that he has not yet selected any member of his cabinet. It may not yet be too late to file your application for one of these jobs if you think you'd like to have it.

PRESERVING ANOMALIES.

(Pittsburgh Dispatch.)

Governor Baldwin, of Connecticut, proposes a change in the manner of electing presidents, by simply eliminating the electoral college and determining by a plurality of the popular vote for whom the number of electoral votes to which it is entitled under the present system shall be cast. This would avoid the danger which has been exemplified in the last campaign, of electors nominated to represent one party "ratting" to another party. But all the drawbacks of the present system would be preserved.

The demand for a change is due to the dynamic force which has displaced the theory of the old plan of electing the president by other than a popular vote, with the closest approach to a popular vote that can be attained under the letter of the old system. The electoral college is the most tangible of the incongruities produced by trying to carry out one theory with the machinery of the exactly opposite theory; but it is by no means the only one. If we are to set about making the presidential election a popular one, we should certainly do it completely.

For instance, the plan which Governor Baldwin proposes would retain the possibility that a president might be elected by less votes than his rival. While we remain under a theoretical electoral system this may be endurable. But when we actually change to the theory of a popular election, it would be humiliating to leave it possible for a candidate who gets a plurality of the total vote to be defeated. Yet this has happened more than once. Tilden got a larger popular vote than Hayes in 1876, and Cleveland more than Harrison in 1888.

There is another feature equally incongruous which this plan would preserve. That is the gross inequality between states of small population and vote as against larger states in the representation per capita or per voter. For instance, by population a person in Nevada has eight times as much power in selecting electors as a person in Pennsylvania, and by number of votes a vote in South Carolina would have five times as much force in the election of a president as a vote in New York. Certainly if we are to have an election by popular vote, one man's vote should be equal to that of another man.

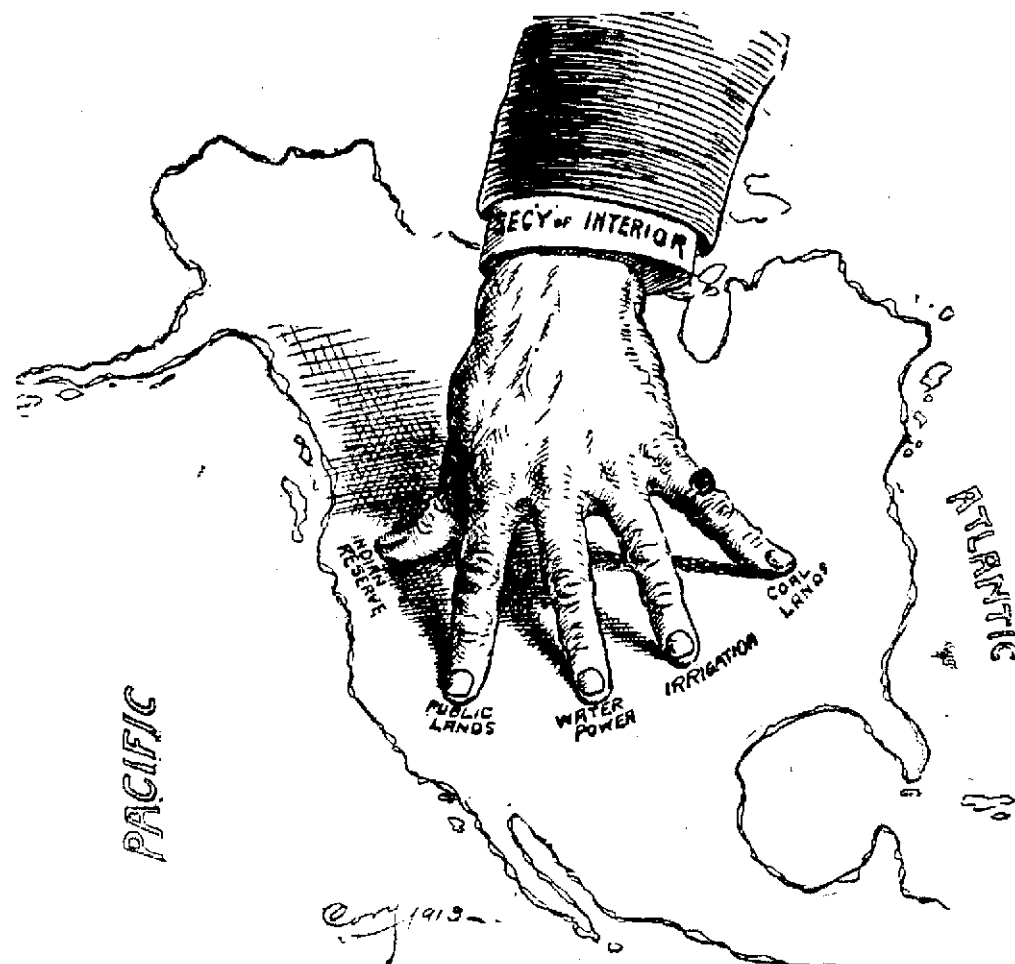
It is evident that the proposition to perpetuate these anomalies is intended as a compromise with the states that would lose their advantage in the present system. But when that compromise surrenders the entire principle of popular election it is not to be considered.

DREAM AND FACT OF OFFICE HOLDING.

(Indianapolis News.)

When the grand army of office-seekers moves down on President Wilson, it will find the crop less extensive than it thinks. It will also find at least a hundred applicants for every job. Out of the 411,322 officers and employees of the government (not counting officers and enlisted men in the army and navy) the president can appoint only 10,000, and of these only 900 without the consent of the senate. The whole number includes, after ambassadors and consuls, various commissioners and directors, collectors, solicitors, district attorneys, marshals and so forth. They cost annually \$30,000,000. The effort to let down the bars for a raid on offices as spoils does not seem worthy of serious reckoning and so the seekers for what are legitimately left would seem to

WHO GETS THIS JOB, MR. PRESIDENT-ELECT?



consult wisdom as well as dignity by being conspicuous for their absence. If we assume a willing senate there would be less than eleven thousand places to be given. What is that among nearly a hundred million of people, or, to narrow it, among nearly seven million of democratic voters, "their sisters and their cousins and their aunts?" Many of these places are of high grade. They call for abilities which the man whose chief desire is to draw a salary can not possibly show. There is a delusion, which is part of the spoils idea, that a government position is a sinecure. The duties of the high places call for all of the strain that men need to intellectual work, understand. The duties of the humblest place call for an obedience and frequently the test of searching examinations. We have lived through a very demoralizing age, whose bad influences were left in the township government with all sorts of loose practices. Our national government reflects

the rehabilitation that has been wrought since then. The successful government officer seeks can now find few places in which he can go to sleep and draw his salary while some one else does the work. Those privileges have passed like the privileges of the feudal system—of which the spoils system is a part.

MEMPHIS IN COMMISSION RULE.

(Kansas City Star.)
Memphis ends the commission plan of government just as valuable to Memphis as Newton, Kan., finds it valuable to Newton.

"I recommend it for any city regardless of conditions or size," says Mr. Donald P. Mann, of Memphis. And Mr. Mann, who was once a newspaper man of Kansas City, says: "Kansas City is losing every year the old form of government remains."

Mr. Mann brings from the big city of Tennessee the same testimony of

efficiency, economy and good results achieved that comes invariably from any of the 27 cities and towns of all parts of the country that have elected commission rule.

Indeed, the experience of Memphis simply gives practical proof to a reasonable principle—that the bigger the city the more it stands in need of business sense and business concentration in its system of government.

DR. STONECIPHER DIES.

Former Local Dentist Is Dead at Los Angeles.

Dr. H. L. Stonecipher, a former local dentist, who left Fort Wayne about ten years ago, died Sunday morning at his home in Los Angeles from pneumonia. While in Fort Wayne Dr. Stonecipher had an office in the Lau building on Calhoun street. Interment will be made at Los Angeles.

The Outlook for Democracy--By Woodrow Wilson.

Editor of The Sentinel—In reply to your request for an expression from me on "The Outlook for Democracy," I will say that I will be very glad to have you present the following article, which, compiled in part from my public utterances, sets forth my views on that subject. It expresses the feeling I entertain today regarding the present problems of the United States and the obligation of the democratic party.

Woodrow Wilson

By Woodrow Wilson, President-Elect of the United States.

In the early years of the twentieth century we are again assuming the attitude which we assumed in the beginning of the nineteenth century. The nineteenth century, with all its associations of the setting up of a free government in America, looked forward to an age in which humanity, the rank and file of men, should be served by the institutions of government.

But we had set up this happy experiment in a country so abundantly furnished with wealth, so extraordinarily provided with opportunity for all sorts and conditions of men, that suddenly we got drunk with the mere wine of prosperity, and for a little while forgot that our mission was NOT TO PILE UP GREAT WEALTH, BUT TO SERVE MANKIND WITH HUMANITY AND JUSTICE.

Through this long century, during which it has seemed from time to time as if we were forgetting what America was set up to do, the world has slowly come around to the point of view which the men who set up the government of the United States had in the beginning. We are now aware that we are not going to be served by institutions; that mere finely conceived constitutions do not constitute the body of liberty; that the body of liberty can be had only in the use of institutions to serve the permanent needs of the rank and file.

So we are learning again that the service of humanity is the business of mankind, and that the business of mankind must be set forward by the government which mankind sets up, in order that justice may be done and mercy not forgotten.

What is it that we wish to do now in this year 1913? It must be plain to all of us that the people of this country wish two things, first, to clear their government for action by making it free, and then, when it is free, they wish to use it, not to serve any class or any party, but to serve civilization and the human race.

If the government of the United States has drifted away from the ideals of the fathers, the democratic party is not responsible for that drift. If the economic control of the United States is now in the hands of a small body of men, it is not due to any policy that the democratic party has advocated, or promoted, or consented to.

The democratic party has been preaching these doctrines of liberty and service and offering leaders to carry them out in season and out of season. We did not wait until the year 1912 to discover that the PLAIN PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES HAD NOTHING TO SAY ABOUT THEIR GOVERNMENT. We have been talking about that for half a generation and more; we have been giving warning of the very things that have come to pass, time out of mind; we have kept a

straight course; we have never turned our faces for one moment from the faith that was in us, the faith of the common people of this great commonwealth, this great body of commonwealths, this great nation, and now what is happening?

With renewed hopes, with renewed confidence, with renewed ardor, under leaders chosen after the freest fashion that our politics have ever witnessed—untrammelled leaders—the democratic party is proceeding along these paths of conviction.

The great democratic party, for the first time in our generation, has a chance to show whether it can return the government to the people, for this is the enterprise to which it has been ever devoted. Ever since the great Jefferson spoke the immortal truths which are the foundation stones of our doctrine, this party has devoted itself with singleness of heart, through adversity of the most prolonged sort, to that cause which lies dear to every man's heart, which is upon every man's lips, but which only some serve in season and out of season—I mean the cause of the common people of the United States.

It counts for something to stay out in the cold on a conviction. We could have made our bargains, we could have traded, we could have compromised, we could have surrendered, but we did not because we stood upon an eternal conviction that that was not the way to serve the people of the United States.

Through all these years of self-chosen exile we have been purged and purified. The great rank and file of the democratic party never expected an office, never wanted an office, but voted

persistently in the minority, knowing that they were going to be in the minority, taunted in some regions because they did not have sense enough to come over to the majority, because it was rooted and grounded in them that, whether or not they could prove it, Thomas Jefferson was right. Most of them did not know exactly what it was that Thomas Jefferson had said, but they knew that he had said something that would UTTERLY DISCREDIT THOSE WHO HAD CHARGE OF THE GOVERNMENT if the people of the United States would only believe it.

The democratic party is now out of bond. It is led by MEN WHO ARE ABSOLUTELY FREE to do what they have promised to do, and know that the very life of the party depends on its fulfilling its promises. The democratic party has been trusted by the voters of the country and it is going to redeem its trust with performance. The democratic party now stands or falls as it redeems or does not redeem the pledges it has made to the people of the United States.

Parties have been held back by influences which I could easily describe, which are thoroughly known, influences which I have touched and fought, but God helping us this is the time when the democratic party will see to it that these influences are cast off, and the people of the United States served as parties have all along professed to serve them.

We are going to see whether or not we own our own government, and if the men you have put into office go back on you now, I, for one, hope that they will be gibbeted for the rest of history and held up to the scorn of mankind.

Woodrow Wilson

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

What the Sentinel Had to Say About Persons and Events Twenty-Five Years Ago.

Superintendent C. D. Law returned from Pittsburgh this morning.

Max Nirdlinger and his daughter, Miss Mary Nirdlinger, left today for New York city.

R. T. McDonald, manager of the Jolly Electric Light works, is at Keokuk, Ia. Louis Fox, the cracker and candy manufacturer, went to Chicago last night.

A Calhoun street car collided with one of A. C. Trentman's trucks this morning and the passengers narrowly escaped injury. The car was badly damaged.

Captain Scott Swann, president of the reunion association, left yesterday for Chicago.

John Little, the lime king, is entertaining his brother, George Little, of Columbus, O.

Rev. T. J. Barber, of the Grace Reformed church, is conducting revival services at Goshen this week.

Mrs. David Compadre was taken suddenly ill last evening but she is considerably improved today.

The H. S. club will hold a business meeting tomorrow evening at the home of O. S. Jones, 63 Butler street.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Morris went to Decatur, Ill., last evening. Mr. Morris has business for the Walsh company.

Dr. L. S. Null, of New Haven, Conn., ex-senator from this county, was yesterday appointed special administrator of the estate of the late Samuel Miller.

The new Wayne hotel will be opened to the public the latter part of February.

W. J. Bond makes announcement that he is soon to go out of the dry goods business.

Col. D. N. Foster was at Lafayette yesterday to inspect his branch store at that place.

John Mohr is arranging a concert program to be rendered at St. Paul's new Catholic church.

Mrs. A. R. Tabor, of Crider, Mo., had been troubled with sick headache for about five years, when she began taking Chamberlain's Tablets. She has taken two bottles of them and they have cured her. Such headache is caused by a disordered stomach for which these tablets are especially intended. Try them, get well and stay well. Sold by all dealers.—Adv.

JILTED LOVER ENDS DANCE.

Boy Creates Panic by Appearing at Dance With Pistol.

Huntington, W. Va., Jan. 20.—Rufus Burcham broke up a fashionable dance at the home of Kirk Pulley by acting the interloper and insisting on coming unbidden to the affair.

Among those present was Ella Hardy, a former sweetheart of Burcham, who broke down the door and declared he would see Miss Hardy or kill some one.

Making his way to the girl, he struck her twice, and when her brother tried to protect her from him Burcham pushed a pistol in his face. The dance broke up in a panic. Burcham was arrested.

Persons troubled with partial paralysis are often very much benefited by massaging the affected parts thoroughly when applying Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment also relieves rheumatic pains. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

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DESIRE TO HOBBLE

New York, Jan. 13.—"Modernization of the aboriginal peoples of the world is growing so fast that if any one wants to study those interesting types it would be well to hurry up. The women of the Fiji Islands are beginning to wear American made hats, while hobble skirts and high heeled shoes are things for which the women of the South Sea Islands are beginning to sigh as substitutes for their own green leaf bodices and oiled tree bark skirts."

Miss Mura Bayly, who, as she expresses it "has lived all over the world," made the above statement. She was born in South Africa, at an English army post.

For kindness to the natives of Samoa she was made a South Sea Island princess, with the name of "Sailou," or "she who lives in the sacred hut."

"The influence of American tourists on Oriental countries," she continued, "is not civilizing; it is brutalizing. We'll take the young Japanese students of today. Instead of that innate politeness, which is characteristic of the older Japanese, these young men are often most rude. They bump into you on the streets of Tokio, much as people do in the subway here, without apologizing or turning a hair."

"The Oriental women are not on the way to adopt American dress and many of our customs, neither of which are half so becoming to them as their own."

"The women of Java are the least affected by American influence around the world. Being mostly Dutch, they are exceedingly conservative, and American tourists have not been able to impress them, apparently, with the difference in their mode of living and dressing."

SUES FOR MISSING MEALS.

Prisoner Asks Compensation for Sheriff's Alleged Neglect.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 20.—Nine men—that he did not get—at approximately \$3,000 a meal.

These are the figures offered in a suit filed against Sheriff W. A. Hammel by Frank Wertz, whom claims he was denied the edibles while a federal prisoner in the county jail. He demands a total of \$35,000 damages in consequence.

Other allegations enter into the suit, however. It is claimed by the plaintiff that he was not permitted to speak to a single person from November 12, the day he entered the jail, until November 18.

Wertz, who is now out on bail on a charge of smuggling, says he does not know whether or not it was by intention or through oversight that he was not fed. He holds that in any event this does not interfere with the ground of his suit.

The Sion S. Bass post, G. A. R., held memorial services at its hall in the Lincoln life building on Sunday morning. A program of patriotic music and speeches was given. An informal social meeting followed the exercises.

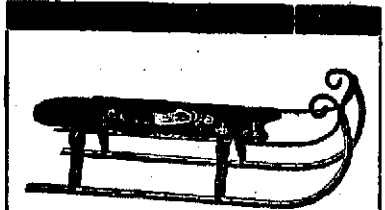
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URGES FIRM HOLD ON TIMBER LANDS

Need Larger Area of National Forests, Declares
Mr. Conant.

IN A REPORT TO TAFT

Washington, Jan. 20.—The concentration in the hands of a few powerful interests of an enormous percentage of the timber lands of the United States has created a problem so grave for the nation, in the judgment of Luther Conant, jr., commissioner of corporations, that today he recommended to President Taft that the existing national forests not only be retained by the federal government, but increased as far as practical.

This note of warning was sounded by the commissioner in forwarding to the president the full text of a report of the bureau of corporation's investigation of the timber industry made by direction of congress. A summary of this report, showing the extent of concentrated control of timber lands was sent to the president and published nearly two years ago.

To increase government ownership of forest lands the commissioner urges that the forests of Alaska be included in reserve, as well as all timbered lands recovered in forfeiture suits. He advises a further searching inquiry into land grants of the past, with the view of instituting additional forfeiture suits if the facts justify the procedure.

Mr. Conant warns that attempts are still being made to "secure the transfer of public timber lands to private owners under the same plea of settlement which in the past often proved wholly specious and insincere."

"Much of the timber land still remaining in public ownership," continues the commissioner, "is adapted only for timber purposes. All that could be properly asked by a bona fide settler is the surface of arable land after the timber has been removed, but too frequently back of the argument made in the name of the 'settler' is the desire to acquire the timber or other natural resources rather than the soil itself. It seems desirable, therefore, to direct public attention to the fundamental difference between disposing of agricultural lands to actual settlers whose industry contributes directly to the material and social upbuilding of the community; and the alienation of virgin timber lands, which do not require, and, indeed, hardly permit of improvement by private owners, and the value of which is rapidly rising because of reduction in the supply and the increase in population. The public service involved in the mere speculative holding of this timber for an advance in price, under present conditions of settlement of the country, is practically negligible. When, moreover, such lands become concentrated in a comparatively few hands, there is, instead of a public service, a serious public danger."

"Without entering into a discussion of possible solutions of certain grave problems involved in the present concentration of timber ownership, it may be

pointed out that the government today still owns, exclusive of the forests of Alaska, about one-fifth of the country's total supply of merchantable standing timber. It is the agency best adapted to practicing reforestation on a large scale. Recently important suits for forfeiture of extensive timber lands have been brought by the government on the ground of non-fulfillment of conditions imposed in the grants by which these lands were alienated from the public domain. For these reasons, it would appear, therefore, that the government may later be able to materially strengthen its relative position as a timber owner.

"The facts set forth in this report clearly point to the desirability of maintaining the integrity of the national forests and of extending to other publicly owned timber, including forests in Alaska and timber lands that may be recovered in forfeiture suits now pending or subsequently instituted by the government, the cardinal principle of the national-forest policy, namely, the retention of the fee to such lands at least until the timber is removed. Decision will then have to be made between retaining such lands for reforestation and disposing of the surface for agricultural purposes. It seems clear, moreover, that the fundamental principle to be followed in the sale of the timber itself is that the terms of sale should be such as to insure to the public treasury substantially the full stumpage value at the time that such timber shall be actually cut."

In advocating an extension of government ownership of forest lands, the commissioner points to the fact that there is a distinguishing characteristic of standing timber, as contrasted with such mineral resources as iron ore, coal and petroleum, in that no labor is required to discover it.

Discussing means of increasing the government's ownership of timber lands, Mr. Conant suggests, if pending forfeiture suits are successful, a searching investigation to determine whether there has been such non-fulfillment of the various conditions attached to the Northern Pacific and other grants as would give congress just and legal cause to seek further forfeitures.

It is clear, concludes the report, that there has been a lavish dissipation of standing timber and other natural resources of the national domain and that the beneficiaries of this policy too frequently have been not actual settlers, but capitalists who have been able to take advantage of legislation or its faulty administration, and thus accumulate vast holdings of timber land at a comparatively small cost and reap therefrom an enormous profit.

Subsequent parts of the lumber investigation to be submitted by the bureau of corporations will treat of concentration of ownership in particular areas, and costs, prices and competitive conditions.

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AN' YOU TAKES HER OUT AND
YOU SPEND YOUR IRON MEN
THEN ALONG COMES A GINK
WITH CURLY HAIR AND
CARRIES OFF THE BACON

Merry-macs
BY MILLER

HONK!
HONK!
OWHERE ARE WE GOING
THE MAIDEN CRIED:
FOR THIS IS A MOST
EXCITING RIDE
THE CAPTAIN SOFTLY
A SMILE HE SMOKE
AND ONWARD SPED
THE POLICE
PATROL!

BIM BAM BOO
O WHAT WILL MAGGIE DO
THE BUTCHER GAVE
HIS HEART TO HER—
SHE'S IN AN AWFUL STEW!

Get away
from
That Horse's
Head!

HE LAUGHED
HORSE-LY
"AH! SAID THE FLY HORSE
TO THE HORSE FLY:
"I FEEL FOR YOU BUT
I CANNOT REACH YOU
FOR EVERY TALE
MUST HAVE AN END
NEIGH, DO NOT FEAR
ME LITTLE ONE, FOR
I CANNOT EAT A BIT."
AT LAST HE CRUSHED
HER 'NEATH HIS IRON HEEL.
"AH! SHE MURMURED:
"I GUESS THAT'S A
HORSE ON ME."

WANT TO CHANGE WORLD'S CLIMATE

Scientist Says His Plan for
An Ocean Dam is
Feasible.

SUPPORT IS PLEDGED

New York, Jan. 20.—Carroll L. Riker, whose scheme to construct a jetty, 200 miles long, across the Grand Bank of Newfoundland, to dam the Labrador current, and to divert the gulf stream in such a way as to cause climatic changes which would eliminate icebergs and fogs from the North Atlantic coasts, said that his proposal had received the endorsement of many of the most prominent scientists and engineers in this country. He declared that Representative Calder had promised to introduce a bill in congress for the appropriation of sufficient funds for a thorough investigation of his plan.

Mr. Riker is especially proud of the fact that Lewis Nixon has considered the project favorably. John Grady, in charge of the Hydrographic office, has also intimated his belief in the scheme. An asphaltum covered cable, of sufficient weight to keep it beneath the water and yet light enough to prevent its sinking in the sand, is planned to be stretched from Cape Race, across the Grand Bank for a distance of 200 miles.

Plans Dam in Ocean.

Mr. Riker is convinced that such a cable would offer sufficient resistance to the sand that is born from the north by the Labrador current to induce a deposit that would gradually build up a natural sand bar. As the deposit increased in height the cable would rise at the same rate until the surface of the ocean was reached. The average depth of water across the Grand Bank is 235 feet, while the maximum is not more than 600 feet.

"The construction of such a jetty or peninsula would prevent the meeting of the gulf stream with the Labrador current, as the latter's southward progress would be obstructed and the icy stream would lose its identity in mid-ocean," said Mr. Riker. "Three thousand separate tests by the government prove the heat conveyed northward by the gulf stream to be greater than could be produced by the burning of two million tons of coal every minute. Of this heat more than half is absorbed by the Labrador current. The prevention of the two currents meeting would insure an iceless Arctic, with resultant benefits to the northern hemisphere."

Would Eliminate Iceberg.
"The course of the gulf stream being unimpeded, and its heat not being absorbed by the colder current means that Iceland, Greenland, England and the countries of Northern Europe would be

warmer, as well as Canada and our own country. Fogs would be of rare occurrence, icebergs would never reach the ocean lines and there would be more moisture. The effect of the dam would be to give an almost perpetual westerly wind."

Mr. Riker said that the work would not cost more than \$10,000,000.

PROTEST AGAINST BILL.

Local Manufacturers Oppose the Eight Hour Labor Bill.

Contending that women and girls employed in shops, stores and factories of Fort Wayne are not overworked, and that the passage of a bill by the state legislature providing for an eight-hour work day for girls and women will have a bad effect on business in general, a number of Fort Wayne employers will go to Indianapolis Thursday to attend a public hearing on the proposed measure, and it is planned to enter protest against its passage.

Most of the local institutions employing female labor were represented at a meeting held Saturday night at the Commercial club, and those present discussed the probable outcome of the measure if it passes the legislature. The proprietor of one plant employing 200 girls and women working eight and three-quarters hours per day stated that if the bill becomes a law it will cost him \$10,000 per year. Charles W. Koenig, local representative, is a member of the labor committee conducting the public hearing next Thursday.

The Lyman Short lodge will hold an important meeting this evening at its rooms. All Yeomen of lodge No. 376 are requested to be present.

"Dad" Rankin, the oldest conductor in the employ of the Fort Wayne and Northern Indiana Traction company, suffered two fractured ribs in a fall from his car at Huntington last Friday. He is under the care of a Huntington physician.

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Whipped Cream Goods
Charlotte Russe,
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WEIGHTS GUARANTEED.

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Prompt Delivery.
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INVENTORY DRY SALE

Tomorrow

You can afford to lay in a supply in some lines when you secure the bargains we offer. **Read the Full Ad.**

One-Half Price

All Ladies', Misses' and Children's

None reserved--every coat must go to make room for Spring Goods.

Coats

One-Half Price

100 Ladies', Misses' and Junior Dresses

Velvet, silk, silk poplin and serge dresses. All sizes and colors, to show you. Just think of it--come in and see what fine dresses you can secure for Half-Price.

100 children's sweaters, worth 50c to \$1.00; 50 ladies' dressing sacques, were 75c; 100 ladies' shirtwaists, were 75c and 98c

Choice Now **39c**

Choice of our entire stock of ladies' and misses' winter trimmed hats (except silk velvets and beavers), some worth up to \$5.00 each

Now **98c**

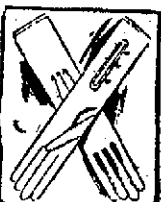
Ladies' black petticoats; ladies' \$1.00 and \$1.25 shirtwaists; ladies' 98c fancy dressing sacques

Choice Now **59c**

All ladies', misses' and children's untrimmed shapes, values \$1.00 to \$3.00; choice

Now **48c**

SPECIAL INVENTORY GLOVE SALE



All 25c Gloves and Mittens, now 21c
All 50c Gloves and Mittens, now 43c
100 pairs 79c Ladies' Kid Gloves, special sale price now **63c**
All \$1.00 Kid or Silk Gloves, now \$.85
All \$1.50 Kid or Silk Gloves, now **\$1.29**

Stop, See! One-Half Price For Furs

1/2 Price We have some good fur muffs, knit muffs, children's fur sets, large fur shawls and scarfs--you may take your choice--now one-half price **1/2 Price**

NOTICE--All goods in our store--winter goods, new spring goods or summer goods--where prices are not quoted at special or half price, will be sold by this list until February 1st.

All 10c goods now.....	09c	All \$2.95 to \$3.25 goods now.....	\$2.39
All 12 1/2c goods now.....	11c	All \$3.45 to \$3.75 goods now.....	\$2.98
All 15c goods now.....	12c	All \$3.95 to \$4.45 goods now.....	\$3.29
All 18c to 20c goods now.....	16c	All \$4.95 to \$5.50 goods now.....	\$4.29
All 25c goods now.....	21c	All \$5.95 to \$6.50 goods now.....	\$4.98
All 30c goods now.....	23c	All \$6.95 to \$7.50 goods now.....	\$5.98
All 35c goods now.....	28c	All \$7.95 to \$8.50 goods now.....	\$6.98
All 39c goods now.....	33c	All \$8.95 to \$10.00 goods now.....	\$7.98
All 50c to 60c goods now.....	43c	All \$11.50 to \$12.00 goods now.....	\$9.98
All 65c to 75c goods now.....	63c	All \$12.45 to \$13.50 goods now.....	\$10.95
All 95c to \$1.15 goods now.....	85c	All 14.95 to \$16.00 goods now.....	\$12.95
All \$1.25 to \$1.35 goods now.....	\$1.09	All \$16.95 to \$18.00 goods now.....	\$13.98
All \$1.45 to \$1.69 goods now.....	\$1.29	All \$18.50 to \$20.00 goods now.....	\$14.95
All \$1.75 to \$2.25 goods now.....	\$1.69	All \$22.50 to \$24.50 goods now.....	\$19.95
All \$2.45 to \$2.75 goods now.....	\$1.98	All \$25.00 to \$30.00 goods now.....	\$21.98

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Dress Goods Sale

3,000 yards of 6c and 7c Calicoes, Check Gingham and Outings, now a yard

05c

All 10c Outings, Gingham and Dress Goods, inventory sale price

09c

All 12 1/2c Gingham, Outings and Dress Goods, now inventory sale, a yard

11c

All 15c Poplins, gingham and dress goods, inventory sale price, a yard

12c

All 25c half wool dress goods, plaids, silkized taffeta, poplins; now a yard

21c

All 50c serge dress goods, plaids, plain or fancy dress goods; inventory sale price

43c

WAISTS

One lot of \$3.00 to \$5.00 silk waists, chiffon Persian and messaline; choice on table

\$1.98

Lace Curtains, Swiss Curtains on 3rd Floor

Window Shades, Rugs, Blankets,

Comforts, Pillows

All Go at Big Discounts

25c shades, Swiss curtains; our inventory sale price

21c

35c seven-foot window shades, standard size; our special sale price

28c

All 50c blankets, 49c curtains, 49c pillows, inventory sale price

43c

All 75c blankets, 75c pillows, 75c curtains; inventory sale price

63c

All \$1.00 comforts, blankets, rugs and curtains, now inventory price

85c

Hundreds of fine comforts, blankets, rugs and curtains, former price \$1.25, now

\$1.09

\$1.45 and \$1.50 rugs, comforts, blankets and lace curtains; now inventory sale price

\$1.29

All \$2.00 and \$2.25 lace curtains, rugs, comforts and blankets--big selection at the price--now

\$1.69

ALL BETTER CURTAINS, RUGS, COMFORTERS AND BLANKETS REDUCED AT SAME RATIO

Curtains 25c to \$6.95 pair
Comforters 85c to \$2.95 pair
Blankets 43c to \$6.95
Rugs 85c to \$29.50

Save Money When You Can, You May Need the Merchandise Later.

Firt Floor Center Table Bargains

Ladies' tan 10c hose; black or white stocking feet; children's 10c and 12 1/2c vests and pants; CHOICE ON TABLE

05c

Children's heavy 15c ribbed hose, sizes 6 to 7 1/2; men's 15c half hose, fancy and plain; ladies' 15c tan hose; children's 25c hats and hoods; 25c laundry bags--CHOICE NOW

10c

How Is This for Bargains?

Men's 50c Christmas neckties.....
Men's 50c imported fashioned blue, tan and black half hose.....
Ladies' 25c ribbed fleece hose.....
25c outing flannel petticoats.....
Men's 25c golf gloves.....
Boys' 25c heavy ribbed hose.....
Ladies' 25c and 39c long head scarfs
75c and 50c jabots and frills.....
Choice of Everything on Two Tables

19c

IS YOUR MEMORY WORKING WELL?

Send Your Solution to the Memory Test Editor Tuesday.

FOR FREE TICKETS

A composite picture of thirty-three of the world's most celebrated and best known people was published Saturday by The Sentinel. The names of those appearing in the illustration, which is one of the most remarkable in existence, were withheld for the purpose of giving the readers an opportunity to test their memory for names.

Those who send to The Sentinel the ten nearest correct lists will be given free tickets entitling them to reserved seats at the Lyman Howe's Travel Festival, to be given Thursday night at the Majestic theater.

Each picture in the thirty-three was numbered. All you need to do is to place numbers from 1 to 33 on one side of a sheet of paper and opposite each number write the name of the portrait to which the number refers.

Address your list to the Memory Test Editor, The Sentinel. All answers must be received at The Sentinel office by Tuesday noon, and the names of the ten winners will be published in Wednesday evening's issue.

Be sure to submit your lists before Tuesday noon.

Mr. Howe's Travel Festival has been selected as a most appropriate medium to reward each of the senders of the ten lists nearest correct, because Mr. Howe's scenes make such a direct and pleasing impression on the eye that they endure much longer than they would if you had to depend on an unreliable memory to recall them. Furthermore, Mr. Howe's new program is as cosmopolitan in its nature as the composite illustration published in our issue on Saturday.

Paris, "The City Beautiful," including the famous fountains of Versailles, all in nature's own gorgeous tints; "Our Friends, the Bees," whirling; new studies of animal life; a thrilling adventure with a ferocious lion culminating by the king of beasts making a terrific bound for a horse which is saved only by a single well-aimed shot; an exciting race between a hydroplane and an 800-horse power motor boat at Monte Carlo and the rivers of France in natural colors are only a few of the many features to be presented by Mr. Howe.

CURLERS AT ST. PAUL.

Annual Bonspiel Under Way With 80 Rinks Already Entered.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 20.--The twentieth annual bonspiel of the Northwest Curling association opened here this morning with eighty rinks already entered and at least twelve more expected today. The bonspiel will continue all the week.

Dr. A. H. Macbeth, chairman of the city democratic central committee, is confined to his home, 339 West Berry street, with a severe attack of pneumonia. He became ill on Friday night after he had spent the evening at a political conference with a party of friends at the Anthony hotel.

THREE WOMEN GET JAIL SENTENCES

Caught in Raid Saturday Night; Sent Over for Ten Days Each.

THE CITY COURT NEWS

Blanche Morris, charged with conducting a house of ill-fame, was fined \$50 and costs and sentenced to ten days in jail by Judge Munger in the city court this morning. Eva Meyers and May Morris, two women caught in the raid of the Morris place at Hollman and Lafayette streets Saturday night, drew fines of \$10 and costs and jail sentences of ten days each. F. L. Keely got \$10 and costs and a suspended ten-day sentence for association. The police have been suspicious of the Morris place for some time. When the raid was made a room had been prepared for dancing and a nickel-in-the-slot piano was being run. Score of Drunks In.

It seems that the balmy weather was a signal for a large number of men to take a jump off the water wagon on Saturday and Sunday as there were twenty affidavits for public intoxication filed this morning in the city court. Many of the men were dismissed after they had told their little stories. Pat Schaefer and Hubert Gillon weren't fortunate enough to get away with their stories and were sent to jail for fifteen days

each. Herbert Lehr, Ernest Walker and John Gilligan were the only other drunks to get fines, each drawing \$1 and costs. Harry Allen, charged with loitering, is being held until Jan. 30 under \$300 bond. Allen has been here for a week hanging around poolrooms, and is said to be a shark at the game. His case will be investigated because he told conflicting stories to the officer who arrested him.

Harvey Shaw and Rose Glazier, charged with adultery, had their cases continued until Tuesday morning.

Ed Landis and Dick Burk, charged with vagrancy, are being held until Jan. 28 for investigation.

DOCTOR'S CONDITION CRITICAL.

I. N. Cochrane Falls in Home and is Internally Injured.
Delphi, Ind., Jan. 20.--Dr. I. N. Cochrane, one of the most prominent surgeons in this section of the state, and a former mayor of this city, is in a critical condition at his home as a result of a fall early yesterday morning. He was attempting to turn on an electric light near the banister of a winding stairway when he struck the banister and fell over it to the floor below. His head is severely cut and he is internally injured, but it is impossible to ascertain just the result of his injuries, as the slightest move results in great pain and cuts off his breathing.

CONFESS CHICKEN THEFTS.

Three Men at Columbus Give Information of Gang.

Columbus, O., Jan. 20.--After George Smith, Isaac Weller and Moses Cowden, respectively 25, 19 and 18 years old, had been placed in jail today on theft charges, they made confessions of having stolen hundreds of chickens and hens. Through their confession the officers learned of an organized gang that has been operating throughout Bartholomew county, and several other arrests will be made.

HANGS HIMSELF IN BARN.

Wabash Farmer Commits Suicide While Insane from Fall.

Wabash, Ind., Jan. 20. Frank Merrick, a farmer, committed suicide at his home near here yesterday afternoon by hanging. Last Wednesday Merrick fell from a barn-roof, alighting on his head, and since that time he has not been mentally responsible. A neighbor found Merrick's body an hour after he had taken his life. His wife and three children survive.

THIRD BANQUET OF MOOSE LODGE

Supreme Lodge Officers Are Here for Feast Tonight.

YEAR WAS SUCCESS

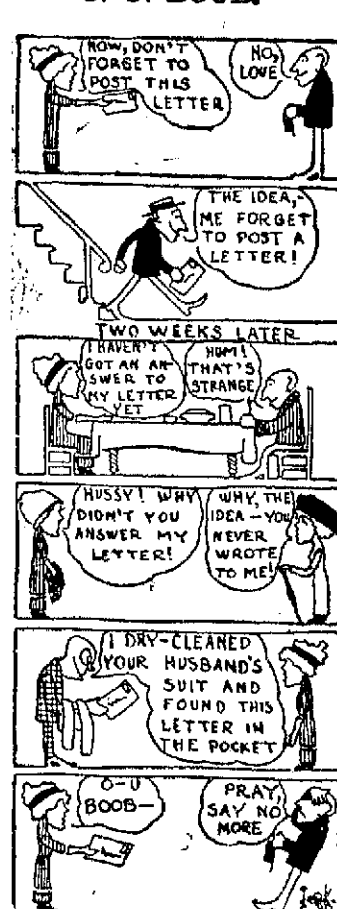
The third annual banquet of the Fort Wayne Loyal Order of the Moose will be held this evening in the lodge rooms at the corner of Calhoun street and Washington boulevard. Today marks the close of the lodge's third year of successful existence. Its membership now numbers nearly 1,500, while it has on hand cash assets of \$15,000 and available assets of \$23,000.

Among others who will be present are Hon. John J. Lentz, ex-congressman, from Columbus, O. Mr. Lentz is a member of the supreme college and he will deliver the principal address at the banquet. Rodney H. Brandon, supreme secretary, of Anderson, and Hon. A. H. Vestrol, deputy supreme dictator, will also be among the speakers.

The local committee in charge of the banquet is composed of Frank Emrick, George Gillon, R. M. Snyder, James E. Ford and David C. Stout.

After a week's absence on account of an injured hand, Machinist A. H. Diem reported for duty at the Pennsylvania shops this morning.

O. U. BOOB.



Sentinel Want Ads Pay.

WOLF & WIDESSAUER

The Busiest Place In Town Is Our Linen Section

Weather makes no difference at the Linen Section—it's crowded every day! For women realize the importance of the January Sale of fine damask and linens, and are buying not only for immediate use, but for future needs. Various special features for today:

LUNCH SETS—Of Irish hand embroidered linen, hemstitched or scalloped; 45-inch lunch cloth and six napkins to match, all daintily embroidered; regular \$7.50 value; sale price, per set.....**\$6.25**

TABLE CLOTH AND NAPKIN SETS—in beautiful patterns that are out of the ordinary; cloths 2x2½ yards; 12 napkins; all of rich satin damask; regular \$15.00 sets; sale price.....**\$12.50**

Pillow Cases, Irish hand-embroidered, size 45x36; regular \$3.75 value; sale Price, **\$3.00**.

Satin Damask, 72 inches wide, in heavy Scotch weave and choice patterns; regular \$2.25 value; Sale Price, a yard, **\$1.85**.

CHARMEUSE LAMBELLA REDUCED FROM \$1.75 TO \$1.27.

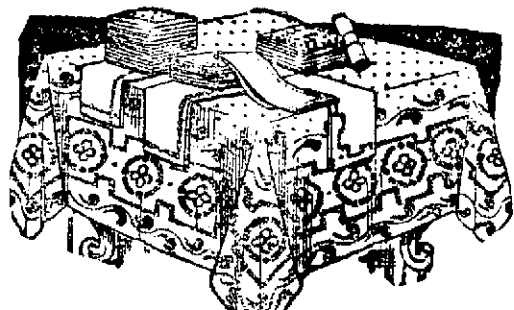
The line of colors is limited, including only American flannel, mauve, red, blue, lavender and black. However, these are the most wanted in a fabric as soft and beautiful as this charmeuse lambella, for it is particularly adapted to the making of little afternoon and evening gowns.

It is 42 inches wide, and sells regularly at \$1.75. January Sale Price, **\$1.27**.

PLENTY OF FRESH AIR AT NIGHT SAY THE DOCTORS—

but no direct draught. A good ventilator is needed and the "All Weather" Ventilators permit of plenty of pure fresh air and prevent draughts.

They are so constructed as to be used at top or bottom of window. The clever shutter arrangement keeps out rain and snow, and the screen allows no dust or soot to blow into the room. Easily adjusted and fits all sizes of windows. Sale price.....**59c each** (Basement).



Satin Damask, stripe pattern with the new floral effects; also plain with satin band; regular \$2.00 value; Sale Price, a yard, **\$1.73**.

Table Cloths, 3 yards long, with scalloped edge in guaranteed lock stitch

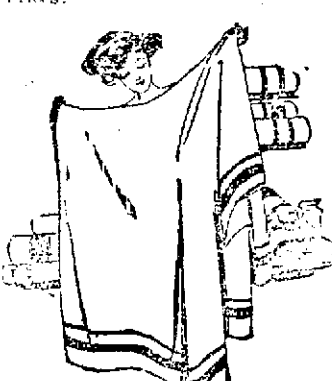
embroidery; good designs; regular \$5.00 value; Sale Price, each, **\$4.25**.

Table Cloths, 72 inch size, round; scalloped edges; floral and conventional effects; regular \$4.50 values; Sale Price, each, **\$3.75**.

WEATHER MAN SAYS COLDER

Great Savings Now on Blankets

All the great, soft, fluffy blankets in our immense stock are in this great Clearance Sale. And with colder weather predicted, it is a most timely event. Everything not quoted below marked at Sale Prices:



COTTON BLANKETS

Regular \$1.25 grade, per pair.....**95c**
Regular \$2.50 grade, per pair.....**\$1.98**

WOOL BLANKETS

Regular \$5.00 grade, per pair.....**\$3.98**
Regular \$7.50 grade, per pair.....**\$6.48**

COMFORTS

Reg. \$1.50 grade, each.....**\$1.09**
Reg. \$2.50 grade, each.....**\$1.98**
Reg. \$5.00 grade, each.....**\$3.98**

All Other Blankets, Comforts and Pillows at Clearance Prices.

city. Father John F. Noll, of St. Mary's church, Huntington, will assist Father Thiele in the work of organization.

Made Financial Report.

At the Sunday masses at the St. Patrick's Catholic church the pastor, Rev. Joseph F. Delaney, read his annual financial report. It showed that the total receipts for the past year had amounted to \$27,716.81, and of this amount \$19,798.61 was expended in general improvement of the church property. The balance of \$7,918.20, while the general expenses totaled \$8,900. There is a balance of \$850 in the church treasury. There is still a bit it is expected that this will be cleared within the next two years.

Election of Officers.

The Young Ladies' sodality of the Cathedral elected the following officers Sunday afternoon: Miss Mary Brosnan, president; Mary Koordt, assistant president; Julia Cleary, secretary; Agnes Murphy, treasurer; Loreta King and Clara Schow, sacristans; Julia Falvey and Margaret Monahan, collectors. Father Quigley, the spiritual director, was present and complimented the members of the society highly for the work they are doing.

Ladies' Aid Meeting.

Division No. 4 of the Ladies' Aid society of the West Jefferson Street Church of Christ, will meet on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lapoint, 2015 Oakley street.

TURKEY MUST COME TO TIME

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caped to the Bulgarian lines drawn round the city.

The commanders of the Bulgarian forces now know the truth, and Bulgaria has determined to force a speedy solution so as to put an end to the heavy expenditure and permit the men under arms who comprise virtually the whole of the able bodied male population of Bulgaria, to return to agriculture work. Otherwise it is thought the next harvest will be lost.

The next meeting of the ambassadors of the European powers at the British foreign office has been postponed until Wednesday owing to the absence from town of two of the ambassadors.

The Servians have decided to present tomorrow to the powers a memorandum which they have drafted, detailing their

desires in regard to territorial changes arising out of the war. Servia will ask to be permitted to occupy permanently the eastern part of the district of Novi-pazar, bordering on the Serbian frontier and also the entire region eastward from the river Drin to Lake Delvina, as well as the fortresses of Monastir, which the Serbian troops captured from the Turks after a severe fight.

AN INCH OF RAIN DURING MORNING

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Bridges are being guarded along the Wabash railroad to avoid accident by washouts, and it is reported that a number of wagon roads in the northern section of Huntington county are under water for miles at a stretch.

Reports received by telephone at the local weather observatory from towns north and west of Fort Wayne, show that the rainfall is general throughout the entire section of northern Indiana.

Cold Wave Coming.

Official temperature reports received from the northwest at 7 o'clock this morning show that a cold wave, with zero weather is headed in this direction. Mr. Palmer predicts a rapid drop in temperature here tonight.

All the towns in the northwest report from 10 to 48 degrees below zero. These towns until this time were free from severe weather.

A Thunder Storm.

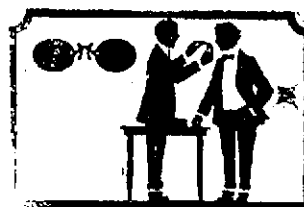
An unseasonable thunder storm visited Fort Wayne shortly after 7 o'clock this morning, and at frequent intervals the sky was made brilliant by sharp flashes of lightning. According to the weather forecaster, this was the second thunder storm of the winter.

If the weather-lore expounded by our forefathers has anything to do with directing elements, we should have colder weather by morning, for one of the old weather proverbs contends that a thunder storm in winter always precedes cold weather.

HAS CLASH WITH EMPEROR.

Director Paur Quits Place With Royal Opera at Berlin.

Berlin, Jan. 20.—Emil Paur, formerly director of the Pittsburgh orchestra, suddenly resigned today as conductor of the Royal opera at Berlin. His action, according to press reports, was due to differences of opinion with Emperor William. Paur took the place just a year ago.



DO YOUR GLASSES NEED ADJUSTING?

They do need adjusting—

**IF THEY PINCH YOUR NOSE,
IF THEY FALL OFF,
IF THEY TILT FORWARD,
IF THEY TOUCH YOUR EYELASHES,
IF THE LENSES ARE NOT PERFECTLY EVEN.**

Do you find these things true of your glasses? If so, call and see us. Years of experience have qualified us to properly adjust glasses and we will be glad to adjust yours without charge.

NO CHARGE FOR EXAMINATION. ROGERS

Anthony Hotel Building.

Fort Wayne's Best Optical Store in Fort Wayne's Finest Building.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

George Anderson, 23, painter, and Pearl Smead, 24.
Gustav Haggenjos, 42, night watchman, and Josephine Lanatoffer, 22.
Herschel F. Jaquing, 24, farmer, and Ella L. Martin, 20.
Max Breinfok, 22, machinist, and Ludwina Schaefer, 19.
Arthur L. Buckles, 23, switchman, and Emma M. Pelkey, 27.
Alger M. Baulky, 24, ironworker, and Lillian Schuster, 22.

WATER DERAILS CAR.

South Calhoun Street Car Flew From the Rails.

Shortly before noon today the sewer manholes along the South Calhoun street

line became clogged, and water flooded the car tracks. A short line car, north-bound, attempted to run through the water and was derailed. Workmen sent out from the bars, and the damage was repaired after the sewers had been opened.

OYSTER BEDS DAMAGED.

High Gales and Low Tides Work Extensive Loss in Long Island.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 20.—Damage which may reach several hundred thousand dollars was done to oyster beds in Long Island sound by the recent high gales and more particularly by the extremely low tide of Jan. 3. Growers here who have visited their grounds declared that the industry has received a severe blow, the full force of which will not be felt until some time in the future.

IN THE CITY'S CHURCHES

CROWD EDIFICE DURING THE DAY

WILL BE HELD FOR FIVE NIGHTS

St. Peter's Midwinter Festival in Aid of Building Fund.

NEW SCHOOL EDIFICE

The third annual midwinter festival given this week at the school hall of the St. Peter's Catholic congregation, corner of Hanna and DeWald streets, is for the purpose of adding to the funds which the parish is raising for the building of the new school edifice to be erected on the church square during the coming summer.

This new school building will cost \$75,000. The plan is to make it an art structure that will be for the use not only of the schools but for the societies of the church. There will be a public hall for meetings and entertainments and rooms for the various societies, as well as bowling alleys, billiard rooms, etc. It will be a building much along the same plan as the St. Patrick's Lyceum in this respect.

The festival opens Tuesday evening and will continue the entire week, closing Saturday night, when the distributions of awards will be made. The ladies of the parish were busy today arranging the booths. These will be in charge of the various societies.

The diningroom and fancy booth will be in charge of the married ladies, the ice cream, candy and country store booths and bowling alley and fishing pond in charge of the young ladies, the wheel of fortune in charge of the married men, and the refreshment stand in charge of the young men.

The Bethany Revivals.
The special meetings which have been in progress at the Bethany Presbyterian church will continue each evening this week. Rev. T. B. Terhune, of Huntington, and Rev. D. C. Truesdale, of Lagrange, remaining and conducting the services. The meetings Sunday were largely attended. The pastor of the church, Rev. C. O. Shirey, was at Huntington Sunday evening and preached in the church of Rev. Terhune in that city.

Cheerful Aid Society.
The Cheerful Aid society will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Nichols, 1233 Winter street.

in the evening at the Wayne street M. E. church, to large audiences at both services. He gave most interesting accounts of what Christianity is doing in China. There are no speakers who discuss this theme more interestingly than does Rev. Mr. Preston.

He has been in China, as the representative of the First Presbyterian congregation, for fifteen years and is doing a wonderful work. At present he is in this country on a furlough, but will soon return to his work in China. He leaves Fort Wayne Tuesday for southern Ohio to visit relatives.

BISHOP W. F. McDOWELL—
Will Deliver Sermon and Lecture at Simpson M. E. Church.

Rev. W. F. McDowell, D. D., one of the bishops of the Methodist Episcopal denomination, will be in this city on Sunday, February 9th, and present the sermon in the morning at the Simpson M. E. church, so Rev. W. A. Grist, the pastor, announces. In the evening at the same church Bishop McDowell will deliver his famous lecture, "A Tour Around the World." Dr. McDowell, in this lecture, speaks from experience, having made the trip around the world a few years ago and visiting the central points of interest to the traveler. He is a most entertaining and able platform and pulpit orator. The bishop had expected to be in Fort Wayne on the occasion of the dedication of the Simpson church a year ago, but was prevented by illness. Sunday, February 9, will be the first anniversary of this dedication and Rev. Mr. Grist arranged with him to be present at that anniversary event.

IS MISSIONARY WEEK.

Course of Lectures at First Baptist Church by Mrs. Wells.

The missionary meetings conducted by Mrs. D. B. Wells, of Chicago, were begun this afternoon at the First Baptist church and will continue during the week. She will speak this evening and also Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings, with lectures each afternoon. Thursday evening will be Men's night and previous to the meeting a supper will be served in the basement of the church. Friday night she will lecture on "Christian Science and Theosophy" and other topics of the week will be "Mormonism" and "China's New Day." Mrs. Wells is a most entertaining and instructive speaker. At the First Baptist church Sunday morning she occupied the pulpit and delivered an address. She formerly resided in Fort Wayne and is well known, with Miss Carrie Sharp, having conducted for some years the young ladies' seminary on West Main street. Both ladies were prominent in educational and church work. Mrs. Wells is now giving her entire time to missionary educational times.

Meets Tuesday Afternoon.

Mrs. Montgomery Beaver, of 2015 Broadway, will be hostess for the Ladies' society of the Plymouth Congregational church on Tuesday afternoon of the coming week. The meeting has been changed from Friday, the original day. The assisting hostesses will be Mesdames F. C. Miller, J. C. Woodruff, Tom Snook, Willard Smith, Gardner Turkey and Miss Clara Ceake. Miss Brown, sent to this city under the auspices of the Congregational board, will address the ladies along missionary lines.

Will Have New Society.

A Holy Name society, the first in Fort Wayne, will be organized at St. Peter's Catholic church Sunday, January 25. The young men of St. Stephen's society will constitute the senior branch of the organization while the boys of the St. Aloysius society will make up the junior membership. At least 200 will be enrolled at the start of the so-

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Every article at a discount of from 10 to 25 Per Cent.

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The Watch House

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East Side, Between Wayne and Washington.

SHOP AND RAILROAD NEWS

STEPPED IN
FRONT OF TRAIN

Albert E. Siegrist Meets
Instant Death Near
Warsaw.

WALKED INTO SIDE
OF AN ENGINE

Foreigner Loses His Life
at Hegewisch, on the
Nickel Plate.

Albert E. Siegrist, a Pennsylvania freight engineer, residing at 516 Leith street, was instantly killed just west of the city limits at Warsaw at 7:14 o'clock this morning.

With Conductor Albert C. Blough, Engineer Siegrist was bringing extra east-bound freight train, No. 344, from Chicago and had taken a siding at the scene of the accident to give the right of way to other trains. As soon as the stop was made Engineer Siegrist alighted from the cab and began oiling his engine. When the task was completed he walked around the front of the train, stepping from No. 2 to No. 1 track just as westbound passenger train, No. 29, the Pennsylvania Special, which was on that track, reached that point, and he was picked up by the pilot and buried several yards, death being instantaneous.

The body was picked up and taken to the Warsaw depot, where the coroner assumed charge of it and held an inquest, the finding of which was in substance as stated in the foregoing lines.

Engineer Siegrist was born September 15, 1877, and was thirty-five years, four months and five days old. He was married and the widow and two small children survive him. He was a member of Bethel church and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, division No. 12. He was also a member of the Pennsylvania Voluntary Relief association. Engineer Siegrist began work as a fireman on the Pennsylvania February 14, 1899, and was promoted to freight engineer November 19, 1902, and was steadily employed in that capacity since, being considered one of the best in the service and most sociable and popular men on the line.

The Pennsylvania Special, the train which struck Engineer Siegrist, was in charge of Conductor John Walsh and Engineer George A. Miller and it was running at the usual speed when the accident occurred.

PENSION QUESTION DISCUSSED.

Nickel Plate Employees Advanced Movement Last Week.

At the annual meeting of the directors of the road last Thursday, the request of the employees for a pension system, as presented to the officers of the company were tendered to the directors, but just what action was taken is not known. The fact that many roads have pension systems for rewarding long and efficient service, tends to the belief that the Nickel Plate will also do so.

The Veterans' association, which comprises all men who have been in the service of the Nickel Plate for twenty-five years or more, took the initiative in presenting the matter and men from every branch of the service have comprised the committees which perfected the plans and formulated ideas for presentation to the officials.

The favored plans include pensions for all employees in active service for thirty years or more after employees have attained the age of 65 years. Employees must accept pensions after they attain the age of 70 years. The pension idea is carried further and assurance is to be provided for injured and sick employees.

MORE FIREMEN ADVANCED.

Six Men Transferred From Scoop to Throttle.

Trainmaster T. S. Kirby, of the Third district of the Nickel Plate, Saturday

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Gain strength on

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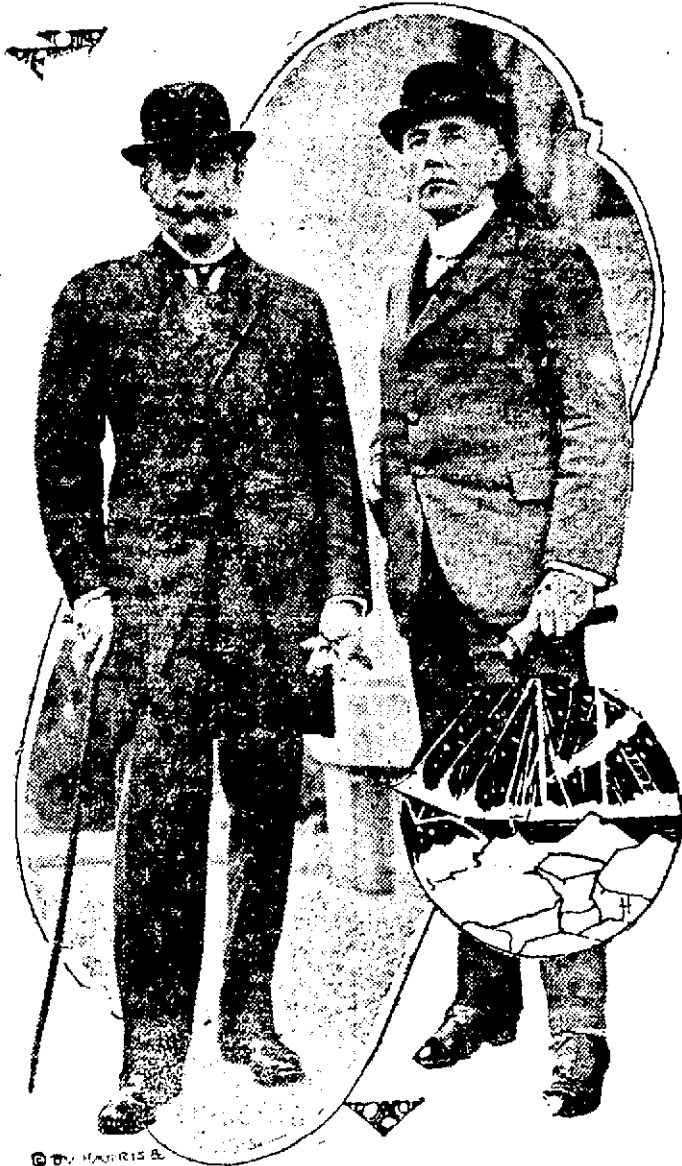
If your usual food disagrees, try the change to a simple breakfast of Grape-Nuts and cream for a week or two.

Stomach ease and new vigor should follow.

"There's a Reason"

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NORTH POLE AND SOUTH POLE MEET.



ADMIRAL ROBERT E. PEARY (on left), discoverer of the north pole, and CAPT. ROALD AMUNDSON, discoverer of the south pole, meeting in Washington, where Peary presented to Amundson the gold medal of the National Geographical society.

shops, has returned from Kendallville, where he spent some time in making connections between the engines and two new boilers in the plant of the McGraw Refrigerator company. The boilers were put in service this morning.

Pennsylvania Brakeman J. E. Battenburg is a patient at St. Joseph hospital. Saturday night he had one of his hands badly injured while at work about his train at Bouthon. The member will be saved, it is believed. Mr. Battenburg resides at Decatur and is one of the new employees on the railroad.

Lieutenant Edward Alexander, of the Pennsylvania police department, who had been in St. Joseph hospital with a fractured hip bone six weeks, left the institution and went to his home in Dunkirk, O., Saturday. Lieutenant Alexander sustained the injury by falling from a barn on his farm in Dunkirk.

Section men prevented a murder at Huntington Saturday afternoon, when they caught and disarmed a tramp who was making an attack with a razor upon a Wabash brakeman. The hold-up became an offense when the brakeman prevented him from getting on a freight train and made an attack with the razor.

The Wabash and the Erie have agreed to extend spur tracks to the factory of the Huntington Machine and Foundry company at Huntington. This will be one of the greatest industries in that city and will be a good patron to the roads named. Supt. J. C. Sullivan and Division Freight Agent W. A. Hopkins, of the Wabash, personally attended a meeting of the management of the new industry and promised to build the siding at once.

LODGE INSTALLS OFFICERS.

Howard council, No. 246, Royal Arcanum, one of the oldest fraternal institutions in the city, has installed its newly elected officers as follows: Regent, H. H. Lagmann; vice-regent, N. J. Balch; secretary, G. C. Benz; past regent, G. H. Krammiller; treasurer, W. J. Haas; secretary, J. R. Brown; contrary, H. Schaefer; trustees, G. W. Kronmiller and J. B. Swihart; chaplain, J. B. Swihart; deputy grand regent, W. J. Haas.

JUMP TO ESCAPE FLAMES.

Family Is Trapped in Burning Home at Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Jan. 20.—Trapped on the second floor of their home here by fire, Frank Gahacher, his wife and two daughters early yesterday were forced to jump from second story windows. They were rescued only in night gowns. None was injured.

CHORUS GIRLS
OUT ON STRIKE

Wrangle Over Sunday Pay
Blocks Performance
of Opera.

THEY DEMANDED \$2.50

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Just 80 cents in real money—or the lack of it—precipitated a strike of the Chicago Grand Opera company chorus last evening, prevented the performance of Pagliacci, and left a wondering audience sitting in the seats while an improvised recital was being arranged.

Indignant chorus members insisted on what they believed was their inalienable right—\$2.50 for a Sunday evening performance. The opera officials were as insistent in defending their own rights—meaning \$2 a head for each chorus singer.

That was as near as the battling exponents of high art in music ever got. An alley door of the Auditorium theater was closed and barred. The chorus members, being on the outside, classified it as a "walkout." The opera officials who barred the door called it a "lockout."

Decide to Call Strike.

The chorus leaders, after consulting with the men, women and children who are villagers, rioters or common carriers of opera in the opera, got together early in the evening and asked each other whether they were to be compelled to act for a paltry \$2 when their demand was \$2.50. Their contract, it was explained, called for \$2 for a Sunday rehearsal, but they thought they ought to have at least 50 cents extra for a regular performance.

"They call this simply a rehearsal. Are we going to stand for it?" demanded Miss Rose Sullivan, whose vocal qualifications appeared to make her the logical leader of the malcontents.

"Never," was the unanimous answer. In a tone that would have added zest to any riot scene ever staged in the theater.

"Then shall we strike?" she demanded.

"Sure!" was the equally unanimous, but unopposed, reply.

Manager's Appeal Vain.

It was then but a few moments before the time for members of the chorus to appear in costume as Italian villagers on a holiday outing. Bernhard Ulrich, business manager of the opera company, appeared in the alley back of the theater, in which members of the chorus had been talking, and addressed them.

"It's time to come in—we can't have any further discussion of this affair," he said.

"We'll come in when we get the \$2.50 we should get for this performance," answered Miss Sullivan.

"Well you are not entitled to it and we can't pay it," answered the business manager. "There has been enough talk here, and I will give you just three minutes to decide what you will do."

He was in the act of drawing his watch from his pocket when he was stopped by the equally businesslike Miss Sullivan.

Abandon Performance.

"We don't need three minutes. We don't need half a second," she said. "We have thought this thing over, and now it is up to you to do some quick thinking. We either get the money or we don't go on tonight. Which is it?"

"You don't go on. That's final."

With that the door banged shut and the bars slipped into place. It was obvious that the performance of Pagliacci could not be staged without the strikers. So it was immediately agreed to abandon it.

The evening's performance had called for a performance of Pagliacci first, to be followed by Adeline Genee, the dancer, and her company, aided by the grand opera ballet. Ballet members had demanded the Sunday evening increase—since none of the contracts called for Sunday performances—and had obtained it Saturday afternoon. Therefore, there was no trouble with the ballet.

Recital Fills Breach.

Max Hirsch, treasurer of the grand opera company appeared before the curtain to break the sad news to the audience.

"I am compelled to announce that our chorus has gone out on a strike for more money than we feel its members are entitled to," he began. "As a matter of principle we have decided not to submit to their unjust demands, and as a result the performance of Pagliacci cannot be given. Instead the orchestra and members of the company have volunteered to give a recital, which will be followed by the ballet."

"The management especially requests that the audience will remain as the

guests of the company. Those who desire to do so after the performance may obtain the price they paid for admission at the box office."

There was a tremor of applause as this reference was made to a refund of money. A few men left their seats to take immediate advantage of the offer. The remainder of the audience stayed to enjoy the recital as greatly as if it had been grand opera.

ADDITIONAL SPORTS

(Continued from Page 8.)

WINNING CLUB COUNTS.

Owner Murphy Says Popularity of Manager Will Not Carry a Club.

Chicago, Jan. 20.—"Frank Chance was successful as a playing manager; I am not prepared to say that he will prove a wise manager," said a prominent Chicago National league baseball club, in a signed statement made public here today.

Continuing, Murphy declares that the popularity or unpopularity of a manager or owner does not figure in the success of a club; it is a winning aggregation that counts with followers of the game. The local owner intimates that his club has been re-organized because some of the players were going single with age.

"The passing of Chance, Kinkadee, Brown, Hoffman, Steinfield, Overall, Kink and Lundgren from the west side is not pleasant for me to contemplate," pursued Murphy, "and naturally the fans sell their heads off. But that all comes with the fortunes of the great national game. I wish they could all retire on pensions like members of the police or fire departments, but that cannot be."

Murphy says baseball clubs want fewer superintendents, criticizing from the bench and more enthusiastic quick thinking players. He alludes to Chance upon he says that the time to remove players is before a game has begun, and not after the game is over and lost. McGraw, he says, saved many games by his quick wit in removing a weakening pitcher at the right moment.

ZION LEAGUE FIGURES.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Crystals	15	3	.833
Juniors	11	7	.611
Athletics	7	11	.388
Tigers	3	15	.166

Individual Average.

Players	Games	Ave.
H. Gehl, Juniors	16	159
H. C. Heine, Crystals	5	152
C. Dickmeyer, Juniors	8	141
R. Barlow, Juniors	5	140
Fred White, Crystals	17	142
H. Hoffman, Tigers	12	140
C. Wolf, Jr., Juniors	18	140
C. Hambrick, Crystals	17	140
H. C. Heine, Juniors	15	140
W. Winthorst, Juniors	11	139
A. Burns, Athletics	15	139
H. Hageman, Tigers	15	138
R. Barlow, Athletics	15	138
B. Lewis, Crystals	15	137
C. Bohner, Tigers	18	126
L. Gerke, Juniors	11	126
C. Jung, Athletics	15	123
E. Gehl, Athletics	11	123
George Weimar, Athletics	18	122
H. Burns, Athletics	15	122
H. C. Heine, Juniors	15	121
E. H. Koss, Tigers	8	121
C. Suttler, Crystals	10	120
A. Kemp, Tigers	8	118
W. Gerdum, Juniors	13	111

WILL NOT SIGN CONTRACT.

New York Giants' Utility Man Refuses Contract With Boost of Salary.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 20.—Art Shaffer, utility infielder for the California Nationals, mailed an unsigned contract today to Manager McGraw despite the fact that it contained a substantial raise in salary. Shaffer said he believed the Atlanta mobile business paid better than baseball but added that if McGraw came through, he might reconsider his determination to leave the Giants.

WILL KEEP DOING.

"I consider myself fortunate in having a man like Doolin for a manager," said President Locke, after closing the deal for the Phillies on Wednesday. "Doolin will have a free hand and will not be bothered by interference. He will get every encouragement. Nothing that I could say now would have any bearing on the pennant race. That is up to Doolin and the players."

IS NOT SUPERSTITIOUS.

Cy Fiffman Marries on the 13th Day of the Month.

Cy Fiffman, last year an umpire in the Central league, is not superstitious as he was married Jan. 13, the day of the St. Josephine Rice, of Terre Haute, at Rockville.

COREY TO BE FIRST WITNESS.

Steel Trust Hearing Deferred Until Wednesday.

New York, Jan. 20.—Hearings in the government suit to dissolve the United States steel corporation under the Sherman anti-trust law, which were to be resumed here tomorrow, were postponed until Wednesday. W. E. Corey, former president of the corporation, will be the first witness. It is expected that Theodore Roosevelt will be called in the course of the hearings. He will be asked to testify in connection with the absorption of the Tennessee Coal and Iron company by the steel corporation before the panic of 1907.

NINETEEN CARS PILED UP.

Trainmen Escape in Remarkable Freight Wreck Near Kokomo.

Kokomo, Ind., Jan. 20.—Freight train No. 861, an extra on the L. E. & W. railroad, bound from Indianapolis to Logansport, was wrecked at Kokomo creek, a mile and a half from here, yesterday. The train was composed of thirty-four cars, three of which were empty. Nineteen cars were piled up in the cut immediately north of the creek bridge. No one was injured. The estimated loss of the wreck is \$40,000.

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January Sale

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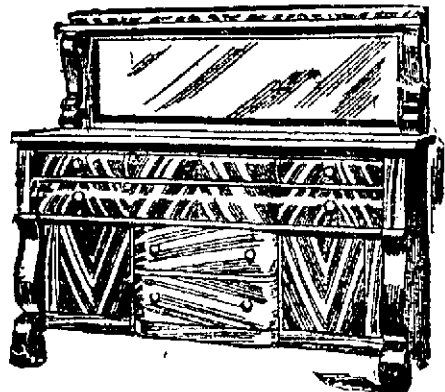
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\$38.75



\$17.85

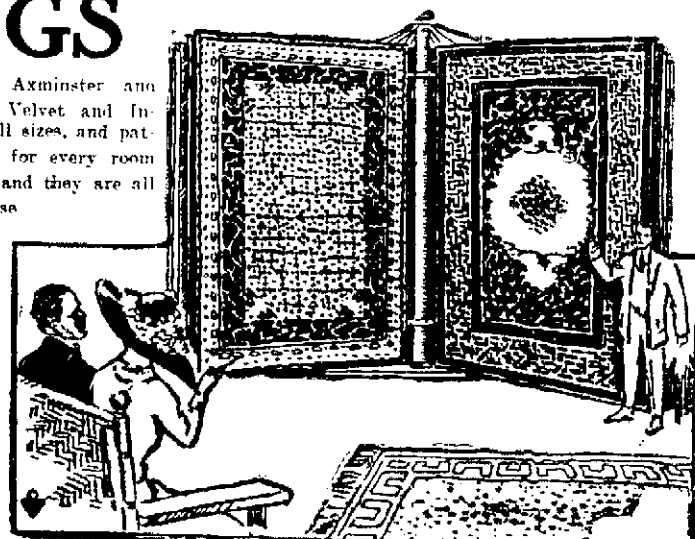
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Prices



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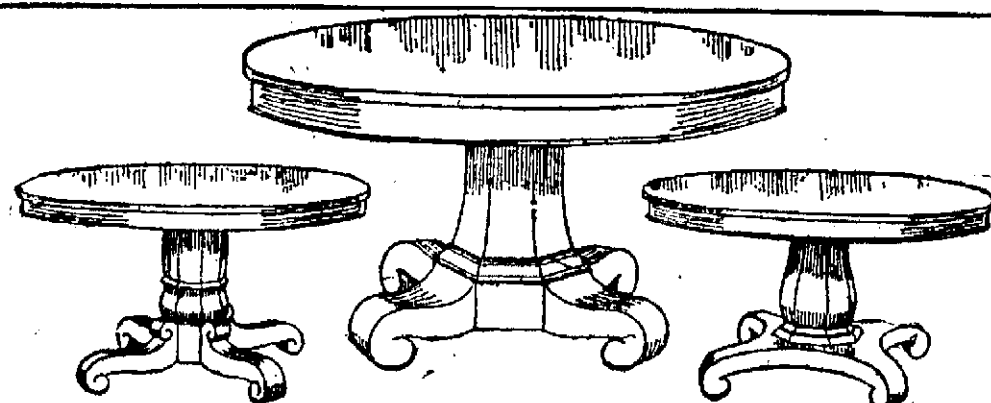
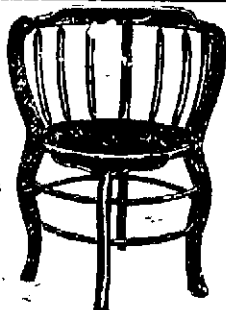
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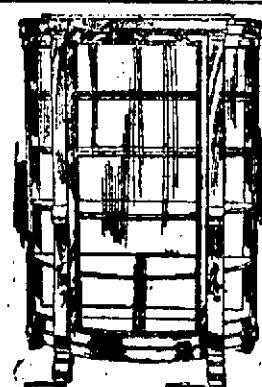
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One of a kind only—floor samples. This sale of dining tables includes highly polished Golden Oak or Early English designs—average value at least \$45. You are invited to select from this lot at the Clearing Sale Price

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Quite a few to be disposed of during this sale. The one illustrated is shown in Golden Oak or Early English—massive—a \$40 value for

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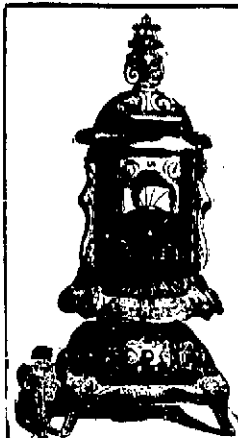


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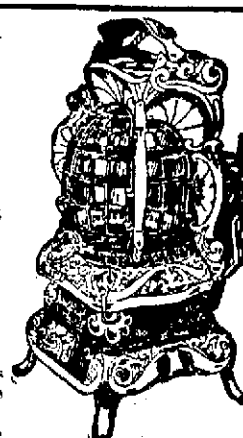
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BUG MILITIA TO WAR ON INSECTS

Old Law in Kansas to Call
Men Out to Fight
With Bugs

NEVER WAS USED

Topeka, Jan. 20.—A few days ago Professor McCullough, assistant in insect extermination at the Kansas Agricultural college, sent Governor Stubbs a request for the governor to issue a proclamation for a general crusade against the chinch bugs. It is asserted that the chinch bugs destroyed 10 million dollars' worth of Kansas crops last year, and will do greater damage this year unless they are eradicated. Governor Stubbs has not issued the proclamation, but the call of the college for a chinch bug day recalls to old timers a Kansas law that most Kansans have forgotten. It is known as the "Warning Out" law, and was enacted

by the legislature of 1877, shortly after the plague of grasshoppers. Under this law every able-bodied person from 12 to 65 years old can be called out to fight grasshoppers or other insects. The law is known as Chapters 119 and 120 of the Session Laws of 1877, and it is not now published in the statute books.

are causing damage to crops in any township, county or senatorial district, that the officials of these divisions may hold a meeting and decide on a bug fighting day and issue the warning out order. Every person in the respective districts, eligible to being warned out, must report at the time and place so selected and armed with the tools which the officials have decreed should be used. Fine of \$3 for Not Coming.

The law provides that when insects in the extermination fight. The penalty for failure to report for duty is a fine of \$3 a day and costs. The law never was put into use.

When the citizens of the township, county or senatorial district meet then they are to be divided into sections and the fight against the insects carried on until the insects are exterminated. No pay for the citizens is provided by the law, the service being regarded as a public duty.

lands, all the weeds and grass along the roads and fences and all piles of rubbish in his fields. The chinch bugs collect in the clumps of grass and hibernates. Tests made at the agricultural college show that burning the grass eradicates 98 per cent. of the bugs.

MANY MORE CORPORATIONS.
Government Tax Blanks Are Now Being Returned.

Deputy Revenue Collector Low P. Sharp states that the number of corporations in Fort Wayne has noted a remarkable increase during the last year. Corporation blanks were sent out calling for the regular corporation tax, several weeks ago and they are already being returned, much earlier than usual. Last year 187 local corporations paid government tax on the net earnings.

All blanks must be filed with Mr. Sharp before the first of March or a penalty will be assessed.

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PRESIDENT TAFT TELLS OF DREAM

Progress Toward Peace in
Address to Jewish Or-
ganization.

GOES TO NEW HAVEN

New York, Jan. 20.—President Taft left New York for New Haven at 9:15 this morning to attend a meeting of the Yale corporation.

Speaking at the Bnai Brith celebration here yesterday, Mr. Taft began his address with a reference to the medal recently presented to him by Bnai Brith, as he thought undeservedly, adding: "But honors don't come very often."

From the Jews, Mr. Taft said, the American people should profit by their example of love of liberty and love of guaranty of rights and equality, and their intensity of patriotism.

"I don't like to drop into politics," he continued. "I don't seem to have been a grand success. But the American people will have to be educated over again in lessons of liberty and will have to be taught again the real value of the rights we now have and the restraints under which we enjoy them."

"Something has been said of the intolerance of other countries," Mr. Taft went on. "Tolerance does not exist in other countries as in our own, but we must know that tolerance in this country will have its beneficent effects all over the world. The attitude of the

American people on that subject cannot but bring a better condition. I don't need to preach patience to your race. I don't need to preach persistence to you. I don't believe in progress over night."

Turning to the topic of progress toward world peace, the president said: "I had a dream that we were going to take a long step toward universal peace, but after negotiating a treaty with England and a treaty with France, I awoke."

He explained that through treaties between this country and European nations and interlocking treaties to follow he had hoped a great arbitral court could be established.

"That was my dream," he said. "We negotiated the first two treaties with England and France, and then I woke up. It's bound to come, however, because progress in this direction cannot be defeated. I hope in spite of this nightmare that the senate gave me."



ONLY "CASCARETS" IF CONSTIPATED

Gently clean your liver and constipated bowels while you sleep.

Take a Cascaret tonight and thoroughly cleanse your Liver, Stomach and Bowels, and you will surely feel great by morning. You men and women who have headache, coated tongue, can't sleep, are bilious, nervous and upset, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have backache and feel all worn out.

Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets—or merely forcing a passageway every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil? This is important.

Cascarets immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the intestines and bowels.

Remember, a Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning. A 10-cent box from your druggist means healthy bowel action; a clear head and cheerfulness for months. Don't forget the children.—Adv.

COMTESSE HUNTED ELEPHANTS WITH THE KING OF SIAM.



Comtesse de Cronheim, of Sweden, who arrived in this country recently from Siam, is probably the only white woman who has enjoyed an elephant hunt with the king of that country.

Although the comtesse has a full-fledged right to the title, she said she prefers to be known as Madame Schneider, for this is more pleasing to her husband, Captain John C. Schneider, commander in the Swedish navy, who is accompanying his wife back to Scandinavia.

Over a year ago Captain Schneider was sent to Siam to render expert opinion as to the needs of King Vajiravudh for a better and larger navy. Arriving there in time to participate in the excitement of the king's coronation, the Swedish officer became busily engaged with the minister of marine, which left the comtesse considerable time on her hands.

Several months ago King Vajiravudh

notified his visitors that he had arranged an elephant hunt in their home. The death of several of the sacred elephants had left the royal herd without the number necessary to the monarch, who is the greatest elephant admirer in the world.

Leaving Bangkok by a private train, the royal party journeyed to the north end of the kingdom, where they proceeded into the jungles via the usual method of the country—riding deep elephants.

"It is easy to catch elephants if you know how," remarked the comtesse. "All you have to do is to keep your seat and the decoy will do the rest."

"One goes swinging and swaying through the brush of the jungle until the decoys have coaxed the wild animals to follow and then the entire caravan proceeds into an enclosure, where the wild animals are bound securely. It is exciting, but perfectly safe."

holding it up for the jury's inspection. "The extreme lower part was splintered and the other side was cracked. It was necessary to remove the bone for about five inches above the kneecap. There is no joint at the knee. The accident destroyed it. Where the knee was there remains only a mass of flesh and soft cartilage."

"Do you think she will ever be able to walk by means of any sort of operation?" her lawyer asked.

"There is a possibility," Dr. Fahnestock replied with professional confidence. "We might cut away some more of the bone and screw steel plates on both sides of the live bone. Even if that were to work for walking, she will carry a stiff leg all her life."

The testimony of Miss Watson, an actress, was that the taxicab began to wobble as it was taking her down Broadway. At One Hundred and Sixteenth street the rear flew suddenly into the air and she struck the roof. Then it repeated that act. The taxicab company says in defense the tension bar broke and that mishap caused the car to rear up.

JUST LIKE MAN OF RUBBER.
Neither Accidents Nor Age Lessen the Spryness of Veteran.

Chester, Pa., Jan. 20.—Hugh Morrison, employed in an industrial plant at Edinboro, is 70 years old. Several years ago Morrison, who is a veteran of the civil war, was literally mashed to a jelly being crushed beneath a falling elevator. His life was despaired of for some weeks, but greatly to the surprise of his physician, he completely recovered. Later he fell about forty feet, sustaining several fractures. But he also recovered from these injuries and today he is as active as the ordinary man twenty years his junior.

REPAYS AFTER 32 YEARS.

Woman Sends Ohio Doctor Money Lost in 1880.

Bellefontaine, O., Jan. 20.—Thirty-two years ago Dr. O. C. Wilson, of Maplewood, lost his pocketbook at Bloom Center, O. It contained \$25 and some notes.

He has just received a letter from a woman at Coldwater, Mich., stating that her children had found the purse, but as the family was needy at that time they spent the money.

She enclosed notes and the money with interest.

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WOMEN CERTAINLY HAVE A QUEER IDEA OF A GOOD TIME.



BEE STINGS MAKE BURGLAR GIVE UP

On Way to Rob Farmer
Thief Kicks Over Hive
—Arrested.

HE CRIES FOR HELP

Fallington, Pa., Jan. 20. Driven into spasms of agony by the stings of a hive of bees, armed burglar, trapped in the yard of the home of John Sampson, a farmer, yelled at the top of his voice for aid and surrendered in gratitude when his tormentors were driven away.

Sampson was awakened by a man's loud screams. Running out with a lantern to the rear of his home, he found the man, wearing a mask, desperately fighting to get away from the swarm of bees. In one hand the man had a revolver and in the other a dark lantern, and while he used both of these in his fight with the bees, they proved but poor weapons.

Sampson taken by surprise, stood watching the strange sight. The masked man shouted:

"For God's sake, save me. Please do something! I came to rob your house, but fell over the hive and these devils attacked me."

After making this appeal the robber dropped his revolver and lantern. Sampson picked these up, quieted the bees and led his prisoner to the town jail. It was necessary to call a physician to relieve the victim's agony.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Teutonia Building, Loan and Savings association will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 21st, 1913, at 8 p. m. in the court house assembly room, for the purpose of electing officers and such other business as may come before the meeting.

PAUL RICHTER, President.
CARL J. WEBER, Secretary. 16-18-20

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SHE PREDICTS A NATION OF SNOBS

Says Women Are to Blame
for Conditions in This
Country.

MOTHERS AT FAULT

Kansas City, Jan. 20. "As a country, we are becoming more snobbish every year. And who is to blame for this? Largely the women. We encourage snobbishness by not allowing our children to help in the homes. Our daughters are not taught to sew or to cook or to keep house. Almost the only things that we require of our sons is that they come home to eat and sleep."

So said Mrs. M. H. DeVault, educational chairman of the second district of the Missouri Federation of Women's clubs, in her address on "Our Immediate Problems" before the Council of Jewish Women in the Temple B'nai Jehudah. It was the Council of Jewish Women's reciprocity day and Kansas City clubwomen were the guests.

So They'll Respect Handwork.
"The reason we have to teach domestic science and manual training in the schools is not so much to make school work attractive," continued Mrs. DeVault. "Things simply have reached the point where the state has to teach the children that which the mothers neglect to teach them. Teach the children to help in the home and the old respect for manual labor will be restored."

Another important problem for the women, Mrs. DeVault said, was to keep patriotism alive in the younger generation.

"Now, with the discouragement of war, patriotism, too, is dying out," she said. "Public affairs no longer arouse the interest they aroused in former years. We must not have war, but we must have patriotism, and the only substitute for war to keep patriotism alive is for the mother to teach her children to love their country and make them feel that the highest and finest work they can do is the work they do for their country."

Mrs. G. B. Longan, president of the Council of Clubs, spoke on "Women from the Modern Standpoint." The keynote of her address was "do something." "Women must get away from the old idea that she is bounded on the north by the wardrobe, on the south by the kitchen, on the east by her husband, and

on the west by her children," Mrs. Longan said. "The woman of today must do her share to better the world or you like the job or not, you must remember that you are your brother's keeper."

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Here is a remedy that will cure your cold. Why waste time and money experimenting when you can get a preparation that has won a world-wide reputation by its cures of this disease and can always be depended upon? It is known everywhere as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and is a medicine of real merit. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

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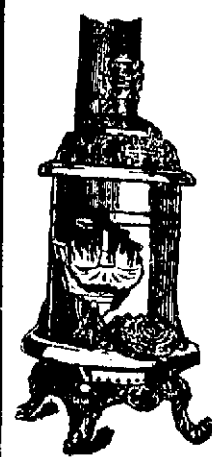
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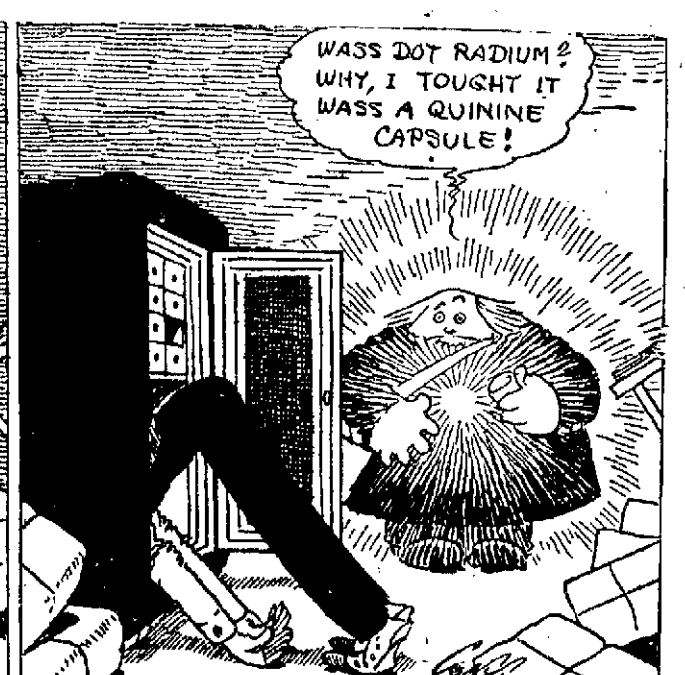
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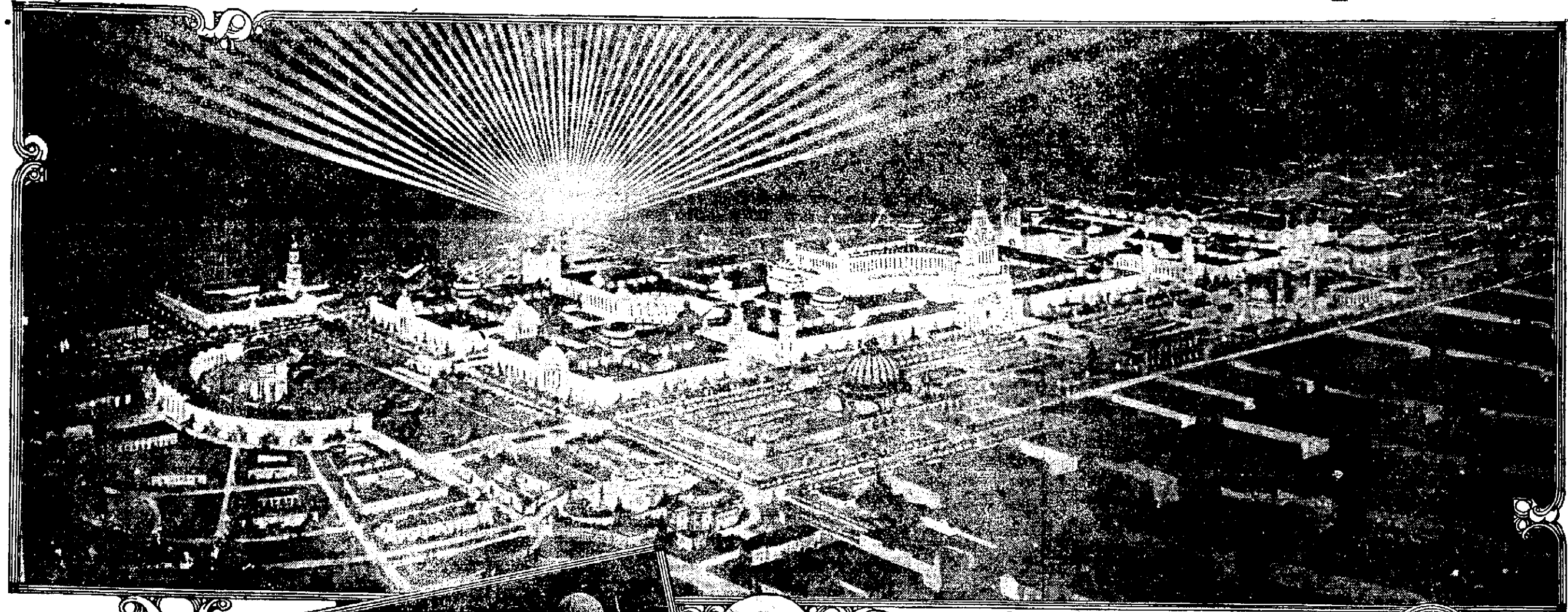
This is the way your washing comes back to you when done by The Troy Laundry Soft Water Method. Phone 160.

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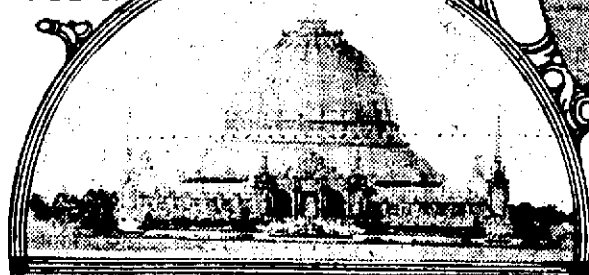
Construction Starts on Panama-Pacific Exposition



GENERAL VIEW OF THE PANAMA-PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION BY NIGHT



SECTION OF THE GREAT CENTRAL COURT



HORTICULTURAL BUILDING

By HAMILTON WRIGHT.
THE plans of the architects, now given to the public through copies of the final detailed drawings for the Panama-Pacific International exposition, have taken into consideration the situation and purpose of the exposition. The exposition has been planned in huge block effects, all for great beauty and grandness. The department of works has been in close touch with the men who are guiding the artistic destinies of the exposition. The work has been remarkable for the blending of the best ideas of those who guide its phases.

With the stupendous setting at Harbor View, with its surrounding amphitheater of hills, with the Golden Gate upon the west, the islands in the bay, the harbor, the ocean and the mountains of Marin county towering into the hundreds and often into the thousands of feet, only the broadest and boldest scheme of construction would match the giant scale which nature has provided. For more than one year a notable commission of American architects, working in harmony with celebrated colorists, sculptors and landscape gardeners, has planned for an exposition that will stand apart in its originality and splendor.

Machinery Hall Begun.

On New Year's day construction began on Machinery hall, the largest single structure and the first of the great exposition palaces. It will be finished in 248 days. This will bring the structure to completion by August next, and by that date every one of the huge main exhibit palaces that will house general exhibits will be under process of construction. All of the fourteen main exhibit palaces will be completed by June, 1914. This will permit the adornment of the exposition grounds with several hundred thousand rare trees, plants and shrubs, which are being grown in nurseries. By June, 1914, the exhibits of the world may be unloaded on the exposition grounds from the steamships which have borne them from all parts of the globe.

Thirty-five states have taken legislative action toward participation; twenty-five of the nations of the world have accepted President Taft's invitation to join with America in celebrating America's greatest achievement; more than 100 applications for exhibit space have been received, and many of the displays will range in value from \$200,000 to \$200,000; more than 2,000 applications for concessions have been received by Director of Concessions Burt. Some of these concessions are unusually original and striking. Several of

them will cost \$250,000 and upward. Among these, it may be observed, is a particularly appropriate concession, a miniature of the Panama canal, with a "twenty minute trip through the canal."

Like a Huge Amphitheater.

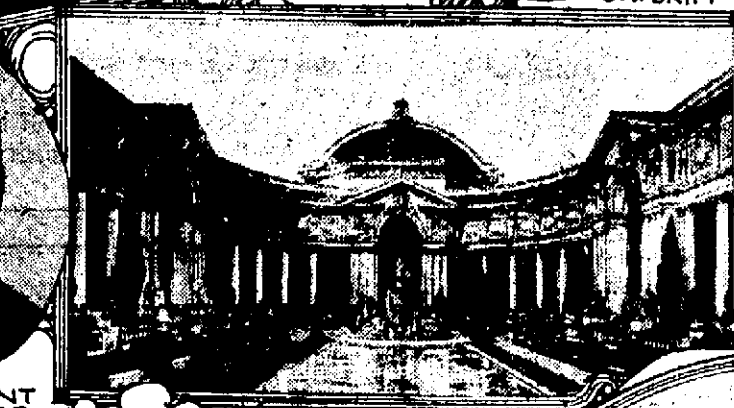
The exposition grounds, at Harbor View, are 15,000 feet east and west and one mile in greatest width. The site, occupying 524 acres, lies at the foot of a huge amphitheater, enclosed on the east, south and west by the hills of San Francisco, with homes rising in terraces on the one hand and the forest clad slopes of the Presidio on the other. On the north the Exposition City will face on San Francisco bay.

There will be three great groups of palaces at Harbor View as one looks toward the exposition from the harbor. The center group will comprise fourteen palaces, to be devoted to general exhibits. The left hand group will comprise the concessions' center, occupying sixty-five acres, and the right hand group will include the buildings of the states and the pavilions of the foreign nations, rising in terraces upon the slopes of the Presidio reservation.

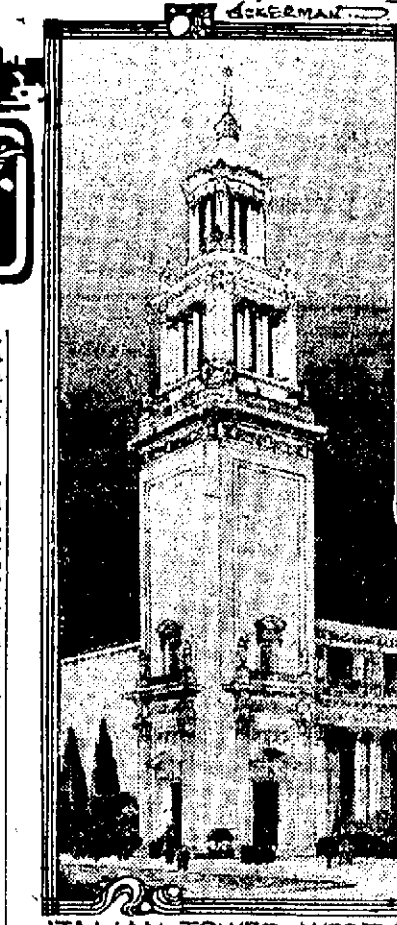
The main group of exhibit palaces, facing upon the harbor for 4,500 feet, will present an effect as of almost a single palace. Eight of the buildings of the group will be joined in a regular, gleaming wall, with a huge central bazaar—a veritable walled city, with its domes, towers, minarets and great interior courts. Around the rectangle will run an outside wall, sixty-five feet in height and broken only by a number of stupendous entrance ways which will give access to the three great interior courts and their approaches. The group will be divided from north to south, in the center the Court of Sun and Stars, designed by Messrs. McKim, Mead and White. On the left the walled city will be divided from north to south by the Festive Court and on the right by the Court of Four Seasons.

Court of Sun and Stars.

Most imposing and largest of all the courts will be the grand court of honor—



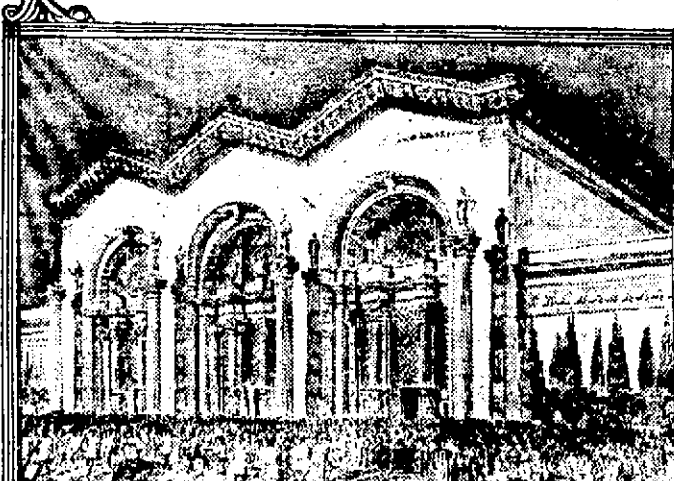
ONE OF THE MINOR COURTS



ITALIAN TOWER, WEST SOUTH COURT.



FREDERICK J.V. SKIFF



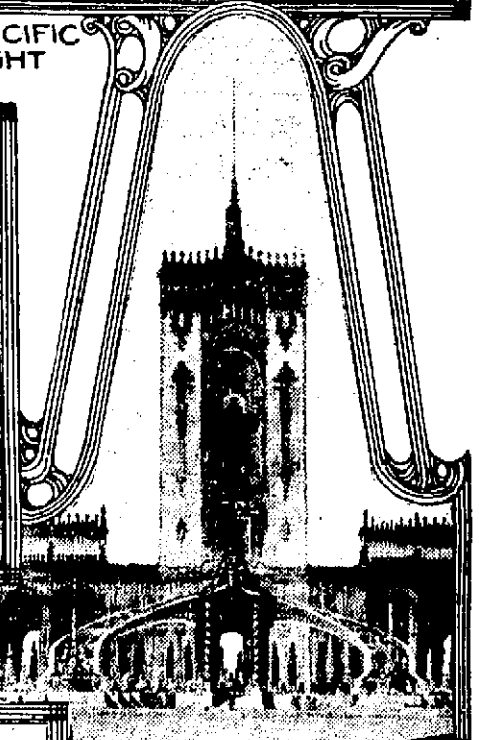
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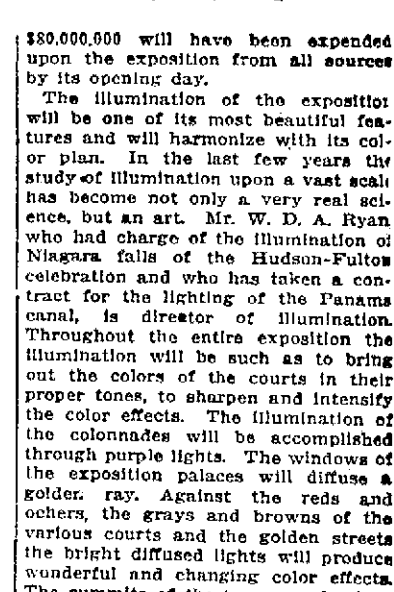
FESTIVAL HALL



FACADE IN FESTIVE COURT



GRAND STAIRCASE, FESTIVE COURT.



ECHO TOWER IN FESTIVE COURT

\$30,000,000 will have been expended upon the exposition from all sources by its opening day.

The illumination of the exposition will be one of its most beautiful features and will harmonize with its color plan. In the last few years the study of illumination upon a vast scale has become not only a very real science, but an art. Mr. W. D. A. Ryan who had charge of the illumination of Niagara falls of the Hudson-Fulton celebration and who has taken a contract for the lighting of the Panama canal, is director of illumination. Throughout the entire exposition the illumination will be such as to bring out the colors of the courts in their proper tones, to sharpen and intensify the color effects. The illumination of the colonnades will be accomplished through purple lights. The windows of the exposition palaces will diffuse a golden ray. Against the reds and others, the grays and browns of the various courts and the golden streets the bright diffused lights will produce wonderful and changing color effects. The summits of the towers and minarets will stand out boldly lined with electric incandescents. Giant batteries of colored searchlights will be anchored in the harbor before Harbor View and will play against huge jets of steam and smoke that will be librated high in the heavens. In the courts, however, lighting will be employed, and this will bring out the bas-reliefs and mosaics of the courts. At night the exposition will seem alive and not closed up and dreary.

Picked Out in Colors.

While the walls of the exposition buildings will be a faint buff tone, the great entrances, surmounted by towers, will all be picked out in colors. These towers, rising from 160 to 270 feet, will contain many niches with statuary, and blue, gold and yellow will be the predominating colors.

The classification of exhibits at the Panama-Pacific International exposition will be a step in advance of that applied at former universal exhibitions. The dominant note of the exposition is educational, and the achievements and activities of the world are to be brought together for examination and study by its experts. The assemblage of representative types of the products of art and industry so that these shall convey the greatest lesson has come to be an art in itself.

At San Francisco the displays though comprehensive, will be selective. The perfect type will be sought and quality rather than quantity considered. The exposition will be entirely contemporaneous as far as awards are concerned, and no commercial articles manufactured before 1906 will be entered.

the water. Ornamenting the tower in recesses will be figures representing the great voyagers of the world.

Before the entrance to the grand Court of Sun and Stars upon the bay will be a colossal column whose spirals will depict man's climb toward success, and at the summit of the column will be a figure representing achievement.

Vast Banks of Flowers.

Between the Agricultural and Transportation buildings, at the northern axis of the Court of Sun and Stars, will be a great pool. On the left and before the Court of Four Seasons will be the gates of Balboa, before which will be a colossal statue of the discoverer of the Pacific ocean.

on—the Court of Sun and Stars, 750 feet in width from east to west and 900 feet along its main axis. At the south end of the court will be a huge tower, designed by Messrs. Carrere & Hastings, rising 400 feet in height and dominating the architecture of the exposition. The upper portion of the tower will take the form of terraces leading up to a group of figures surrounding a globe typifying the world. The tower will be studded with jewels, which will glitter like diamonds when searchlights are turned upon them. At the base of the tower, which will occupy an acre in extent, will be a huge arcade 125 feet high, beneath which the visitor may enter into the Court of Sun and Stars from the south garden. In the vaulted archways of the tower itself will be grouped a series of mural paintings designed by Mr. Jules Guerin and expressing the keynote of the exposition color scheme.

But perhaps the most impressive feature of the Court of Sun and Stars will be found in a superb classic colonnade extending entirely around the court and surmounted upon the one side by figures designed to represent the spirit of the east and on the other the spirit of the west. These figures, of which there will be 110, will be fourteen feet in height, and each will stand out in radiance through a crown of dazzling jewels of light.

In the center of the court will be a great sunken garden about five feet lower than the level of the court and encircled by benches for the sightseer.

Court of Four Seasons.

Going toward the west one will pass from the Court of Sun and Stars through a huge commemorative arch, greater in size than the Arc de Triomphe at Paris, to the Court of Four Seasons. To the east one will pass

through a similar triumphal arch to the east or Festive Court. The arch upon the east will be surmounted by a grouping of colossal statuary—camels, elephants and oriental warriors, the group symbolizing the civilization of the orient. The arch upon the west will be surmounted by a group representing western civilization. A great prairie schooner, drawn by oxen, will comprise the center motif of the group, typifying the advance of Anglo-Saxon civilization across the plains of America to the shores of the Pacific.

OUR MID-WINTER CLEARANCE SALE BEGAN THIS MORNING

Bigger Stock, Bigger Value and A Bigger Reduction Than Heretofore

Don't miss this opportunity of buying housefurnishings, for we are going to offer splendid values in every department. These goods will not be shop worn or shelf warmers, but the best that can be bought. We establish this sale to simulate trade for an otherwise quiet month and close out patterns that have been dropped by the mills and factories, also, to make room for the large Spring Stock that is coming in. Sale began today.

10 to 35 Per Cent. Off on Furniture

Pieces throughout the store will be marked with White Tags, which will indicate a big cutting in price, and all goods not marked with these tags there will be a special discount of 15 per cent.

20 Per Cent. Off on All Brass Beds

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Eclipses all previous sales in volume and reductions in price. Our reputation for handling goods of quality is well known. Every article offered during this sale is guaranteed to be as represented or your **MONEY BACK**.

If you need a Rug or Carpet now or later, or if you need Linoleum, it will pay you to make your selections now. A small deposit will hold any Rug, Carpet or Linoleum till Spring. Balance when delivered. Hotel proprietors, apartment house owners, boarding house and lodging house owners should not miss this opportunity to buy Carpets of known quality at these extremely low prices.

AXMINSTER CARPETS REDUCED IN PRICE

Bigelow Axminster, \$1.85 quality.....	\$1.54
Columbian Axminster, \$1.35 quality.....	\$1.12½
Quaker Axminster, \$1.25 quality.....	87c
Whittall's Victoria Body Brussels, a few, regular price \$1.65, for.....	\$1.35

WILTON VELVET BORDERS

We have about 20 rolls of best quality Wilton Velvet borders, regular price, \$1.35 a yard. As we have no carpet to match they will be marked below cost. **72 1-2c**

Brussels borders, regular price \$1.15; now 67½c. Two widths sewed together make a rug 3 ft. 9 inches, any length.

About 2,000 yards of extra heavy Velvet Carpet; a splendid weaving, thick carpet, made for hard service. Oriental, conventional and floral patterns for hall and stair patterns; regular price \$1.15, and sale price (per yard) **81c**

About 500 yards velvet, same quality as above described, in pieces ranging from 6 to 20 yards, suitable for halls and small rooms; regular price \$1.15; sale price (per yard) **69c**

Finest quality Worsted Velvet, in a wide range of beautiful, durable colors, pictorial, conventional floral patterns, also small neat figures for halls and stairs; regular price \$1.35 per yard. Sale price **\$1.05**.

ROXBURY BRUSSELS

Roxbury Brussels, full 10-wire standard Carpets, reduced to **98c** during this sale. Hall and stair patterns in Brussels, **56c** and **75c** per yard.

INGRAIN CARPETS FULL YARD WIDE

Lowell extra super all wool, 90c, for.....	77½c
Bromley's extra super all wool, 85c, for.....	72½c
Bromley's extra super C. C. 75c, now.....	60c
Wool-filled Ingrains, 65c, now.....	49c
Heavy Union Ingrains, 60c, now.....	49c
Ingrain Stair Carpet, 25c, now.....	39c
Ingrain Stair Carpet, 35c, now.....	19c
Reversible Brussels, 27 inches wide, 65c, now.....	27c
	49c

Your opportunity is now at hand to purchase really fine Rugs at less than the fixed retail price made by the manufacturers. These Rugs cannot be bought at these prices after this sale. These Wilton Rugs are made of pure worsted and woven so closely they rival the fine Persian imported Rugs. The finest of dyes and high luster finish make the Wilton Rug the most beautiful and serviceable rug in America. The patterns are faithful copies of rare imported Rugs, including Gorevan, Suruk, Tabriz, Kermaushah and Kudistan.

\$60.00 Seamless Wilton, now.....	\$47.50
\$60.00 Bigelow Balkan, now.....	\$47.50
\$45.00 Hardwick Magee, now.....	\$37.50
\$50.00 Hardwick Magee, now.....	\$42.50
\$45.00 Bigelow Bagdad, now.....	\$37.50
\$45.00 Latonia Wilton, now.....	\$32.50
8-3x10-6 Wilton, \$35.00, reduced to.....	\$27.50
Bundhar Wilton, 8-3x10-6, reduced to.....	\$35.00
Seamless Wilton Velvet Rugs—	
\$25.00 grade, sale price.....	\$18.75
\$32.50, extra heavy, sale price.....	\$22.75

Axminster Rugs, regular price, \$32.50, \$27.50 and \$25.00, reduced to **27.50, \$22.50 and \$19.75**. All other goods on 3rd floor reduced 10 per cent. during sale.

Mission Rugs, heavy reversible all wool, absolutely fast colors. Same rich effects and patterns as are found in the most expensive Wiltons and hand-tufted Rugs. These Rugs are suitable for any room in the house with the added advantage of being reversible and can be used on both sides.

\$20.00 9x12 size, Sale Price.....	\$15.75
\$18.00 9x10½ size, Sale Price.....	\$13.35
\$12.50 6x9 size, Sale Price.....	\$8.25
\$3.00 36x63 size, Sale Price.....	\$2.49
9x12 Body Brussels: \$32.50 for.....	\$27.50
8½x10½ Body Brussels: \$35.00 for.....	\$22.50
9x10½ Body Brussels.....	\$26.50
Extra Special, 9x10 Seamless American Orientals; regular price, \$27.50, now.....	\$23.75

BRUSSELS RUGS, PURE WOOL, FAST COLORS

9x12, \$15.00 grade, now.....	\$10.75
9x12, \$16.50 grade, now.....	\$13.75
Seamless 10-wire, \$20.00 grade, now.....	\$16.50

WOOL AND FIBRE RUGS, POPULAR FOR BED-ROOMS, REVERSIBLE AND FAST COLORS

9x12, \$13.50 value, for.....	\$9.75
8½x10½, \$12.50 value, for.....	\$8.75
7½x10½, \$10.75 value, for.....	\$7.75

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We will include in this immense sale 2,500 yards of extra wide Linoleum. This linoleum is 12 ft. and one width will cover the ordinary room without a seam. 20 different patterns to select from. Your choice, **65c** per square yard.

NOTE.—These are all new patterns, full rolls. No Remnants.

EXTRA HEAVY DOUBLE PRINT LINOLEUM

75c grade, reduced to.....	60c
65c grade, reduced to.....	49c
60c grade, reduced to.....	45c
50c grade, reduced to.....	39c

INLAID LINOLEUMS

\$1.35 grade, Sale Price.....	\$1.10
\$1.25 grade, Sale Price.....	.98c
Heavy 4 yard wide inlaid Linoleum, \$1.65 quality.....	\$1.39 sq. yd.

SPECIAL—Velvet, Axminster and Brussels Carpet samples, 1½ yds. long. Ends bound or finished with knotted wool fringe, **89c, \$1.23 and \$1.69**.

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